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EXTRA!

EACH SIDE SCORES A VICTORY.

Judge McKenna Hands Down His Decision Regarding the Railroad Commission.

THE RIGHT TO REDUCE THE RATES IS AFFIRMED.

But the Injunction as to the Eight Per Cent Cut Is Sustained.

(Special to the Tribune)

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30—United States Circuit Judge McKenna has handed down a decision in the Railroad Commissioners case.

The injunction against reducing railroad rates 8 per cent is made permanent.

The injunction against reducing the rates 25 per cent is dissolved, Judge McKenna stating that although the Commissioners discussed the proposition they never formally acted upon it, and he could not therefore pass upon a point that had no legal existence.

The right of the Railroad Commissioners to cut rates is recognized by the court.

The reason the 8 per cent injunction is made permanent is because in the opinion of the court it is too severe.

The court brushes aside the proposition that the Commissioners could not act on account of election pledges Judge McKenna evidently considering the matter not important enough for a decree.

IN DETAIL.

How Some of the Points Were Handled in the Decree.

By Associated Press to The Tribune

SAN FRANCISCO Nov. 30—Judge McKenna, of the United States Circuit Court, to-day delivered his long-awaited decision in the important case of the Southern Pacific Company against the State Board of Railroad Commissioners involving the right of the commission to restrict freight rates over the company's lines in this State.

Each side claims a victory in the decision, which concedes the right of the commission to make reductions in rates, but makes a permanent injunction against the commissioners restraining them from making an eight per cent reduction in grain rates on the ground that the profits of the Southern Pacific did not justify that cut in rates.

The commission adopted a resolution reducing the railroad's schedule of grain rates twenty-five per cent Thereupon the railroad brought suit in the United States Court for an injunction restraining the commission from interefering with its rates. The railroad's complaint denied the right of the commision to restrict rates, alleging that power was vested in Congress alone

Judge McKenna's decision to-day was that the Railroad Commission is a legal body, and that it powers were not only judicial, but legislative.

It has power not only to adjust rates, but to enforce its decrees.

The Court could take from the commission no part of its functions which included the regulation of rates of railroads.

The Southern Pacific is a corporation doing business in this State, and is clearly within the jurisdiction of the commission.

The Southern Pacific is therefore subject to the rulings of the commission, and the court declared it impossible to conceive how any other view could be taken.

The court also decided that the commission had jurisdiction over a corporation, whether local or foreign.

This point was considered at great length in the decision which discussed all the constitutional points raised by the railroad

The court asked "What right, then, has this court to pass on any of the functions of the Railroad Commission which have been clearly established by law?"

On the question raised by the Southern Pacific that two of the Commissioners were ineligible to reduce the rates because of their ante-election pledges to reduce rates, Judge McKenna decided that the candidates had a right to make such pledges, which did not constitute ineligibility

The decision, which took three hours to read concluded by making a permanent injunction against the Commissioners from enforcing the first reduction of 8 per cent in freight rates, on the ground that the reduction was excessive, considering the earnings of the Southern Pacific

The court dissolved the injunction against the Commissioners on the 25 per cent reduction on the ground that it was not the final act of the company, but was equivalent to a declaration of intention.

A TELEPHONE FIGHT.

Sale by the Sheriff of a Defunct Santa Clara Company.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN JOSE, Nov. 30—The entire system and franchise of the People's Telephone Company was sold by the Sheriff today to satisfy judgment in favor of the Washburn Moen Manufacturing Company

It was bought in by the newly organized People's Telephone and Telegraph Company for $18,710, which is but a few dollars more than the judgment

The Company is said to be really a new organization of the leading stockholders of the defendant Company The service has never been disturbed and a much improved service is promised

The Company has brought about an average reduction in the rent of phones of fully one half.

HELD FOR MANSLAUGHTER.

Southern Pacific Trainmen to Answer for a Death.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

RED BLUFF, Nov. 30.—E T. Chase, F A Tollman and Thomas Quniten, conductor engineer and fireman of the Southern Pacific special, have been arrested here on a charge of involuntary manslaughter.

They are charged with killing Vandegriff by recklessly running a train at too great a rate through Vina on November 3d.

The defendants were released on bonds of $1,000 each until the preliminary examination. The time for the examination is not set.

GOODWIN'S DIVORCE.

A Compromise That Is Said to Have Cost Him $15 000

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30—When the divorce case of Nat Goodwin, the actor, against his wife, living in New York, was called to-day, it was stated that Goodwin had disregarded the subpoena issued by his wife's attorneys, and had left last night for Portland.

The Court was considering the advisability of committing Goodwin for contempt when he should again come within the Court's jurisdiction, when his attorneys announced that the suit had been dismissed by Goodwin before his departure

An affidavit was read from Goodwin stating the case had been compromised and that he had paid his wife $15,000 in lieu of alimony.

It was stated the real object in dismissing the suit was the fear that Goodwin's suit might embarrass the suit of Maxime Elliott, who simultaneously filed an application for divorce from her husband, George McDermott.

WILL HAVE NO TICKET.

Populists Will Not Have a Local Municipal Campaign.

THE COMMITTEE IN SESSION.

Candidates From the Other Parties Will Be Endorsed.

FUSION WAS A FAILURE.

A Lively Discussion and Then a Decisive Vote.

The Populist City Central Committee met last Saturday evening in the office of J. B Randolph, on Broadway near Ninth street, and discussed plans regarding the coming campaign A. A Bretz was in the chair and all the wards were represented with the exception of the First, Ed Maguire, one member, being out of town, while committee man Price is on the sick list. In their stead J C Buttner and A H. Dewey were substituted.

The chief subject under discussion was whether to put up a municipal ticket at the coming election. Owing to the recent overwhelming defeat of the fusion forces several were of the opinion that the Populists could not do anything standing by themselves, and as a consequence opposed running a party ticket. Others differed and a genuine Populist word war ensued, the outcome of which was the decision that the campaign was yet too young for any decisive measures to be taken.

However, the debate finally centered on the advisability of nominating a candidate for Mayor and a vote was taken. This resulted in five ayes and five noes, but Chairman Bretz refused to exercise his prerogative to cast the die

Then the talk took another turn. Finally it was decided that it was principle, not men, that the party was working for, and so a suggestion that a local platform, somewhat similar to the Omaha document, be prepared, met with approval A committee, consisting of one from each ward was appointed to draft the instrument, and it is understood that when it is completed, candidates from other parties who will subscribe to it will receive the endorsement of the People's Party

From the present indications there will be no municipal Populist ticket.

NORTH IS CHAIRMAN.

Permanent Organization of the Alameda County Delegation.

A meeting of the Alameda County Assembly delegation has been held and a permanent organization affected Hart H North has been chosen as chairman of the delegation, and Howard E. Wright secretary. The Executive Committee consists of F W. Leavitt, chairman, J. A. Waymire and Hart H North.

Judge Waymire was unanimously endorsed for the position of chairman of the Committee on Judiciary of the coming Assembly The other members of the delegation were endorsed for places on the committees

It was determined to stand as a unit on all matters of direct interest to Alameda County, especially while any measures affect the State University or the Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institute. In the interests of a new primary law and good roads, the delegation will be in the front ranks Among the other questions to be urged is an economical organization of the Legislature

All the recently elected Assemblymen were present. Arthur North, Assemblyman-elect from Yolo County, was also in attendance.

M'KINLEY'S ESCORT.

The Alliance Club Will Not Leave the Post of Honor

It is nearly a settled fact that the Alliance Club will not go to Washington as an escort to President-elect McKinley. This arises from the fact that the President has selected members of his own war regiment to perform the honor.

President George Morrow, speaking of the matter, said. 'There would have been no difficulty at all in raising the money for this trip if we had been accorded the escort honor However, if the people of California as a matter of State pride want to send the Alliance to the inauguration I am satisfied we can among ourselves raise $5,000 Under the circumstances, considering the hard times and the long depression in business from which we are now recovering, it may be best to call the trip off. The directors will decide that finally on Tuesday night."

Gone Ashore.

By Associated Press to The Tribune

KEY WEST, Fla, Nov. 30.—The British steamer Mayfield, Capt. Fargher, from Penarth for Galveston in ballast, ran ashore at 10 o'clock on the 25th on the elbow.

The Mayfield is 1,725 tons register and belongs to the Mayfield steamship line of London.

In Big Trouble

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30—Isaac Scoville & Co., manufacturers of jewelry, confessed judgment for $70,390 today The total liabilities are estimated at $75,000 nominal assets $50,000. The firm has a branch in St. Louis.

HIGH TO BE HELD.

That is the Intimation Given by Judge Ellsworth.

PROCEEDINGS REVIEWED.

A Question as Regards the Validity of the Sentence.

ANOTHER APPEAL AHEAD.

The Matter to be Taken to the Supreme Court.

Judge Ellsworth in the Superior Court this morning intimated that he would be obliged to deny the writ of habeas corpus asked for some weeks ago by Gavin Dhu High, formerly editor of the Morning Times and Evening Item of this city

This intimation was given out after a hearing of the points of the case in which the petitioner was represented by Attorney Nusbaumer and the people by District Attorney Snook.

When the application was last up before Judge Ellsworth, High was admitted to bail.

The petition seeks relief from imprisonment for sixty days in the city jail as a consequence of a sentence imposed on High by Judge Wood for the libeling of Wm J Dingee The ground on which the request is made is the alleged irregularity of the proceedings in the Police Court where it is alleged Judge Wood failed to pass upon a motion for a new trial before passing sentence upon High

Clerk Crawford of the Police Court was placed on the stand He produced the records of the court and detailed the circumstances under which High had been sentenced He said that Judge Wood had asked the defendant if he was ready for sentence and that Attorney Nusbaumer, speaking for High, had said that he was.

Judge Wood thereupon sentenced High to sixty days in the city jail. As soon as sentence had been passed Attorney Nusbaumer told the court that the judgment was not valid because the motion for a new trial had not yet been passed upon On being thus reminded Judge Wood immediately set aside the judgment of sixty days and passed upon the motion for a new trial, denying the same The court then passed sentence of imprisonment for sixty days as above referred to

Judge Ellsworth took the application and, referring to a clause in it to the effect that the defendant had appeared ready for sentence in the Police Court, asked whether or not that might be considered a waiver of the motion for a new trial

Mr Nusbaumer did not think it could

The judge then asked if any other business had intervened between the first and second judgments.

Clerk Crawford said he did not think any other business had been transacted

Mr Nusbaumer asked Mr Crawford if he did not recall the the fact that he (Nusbaumer) had made an application for bail in behalf of High

Witness could not recall that Mr. Nusbaumer had made such an application at that time, although he remembered that such a request had been made at one time

The blotter minutes of the court were produced showing the rough facts as regards the proceedings in the case, but they shed no light, the judge said, as regards whether or not any other business had intervened

Mr Nusbaumer then gave his recollection as to the manner in which the proceedings had been conducted He said that when Judge Wood had asked whether the defendant was 'ready for sentence' he (Nusbaumer) had simply answered 'ready' The words "for sentence' had not been uttered by him The court then imposed sentence of sixty days Mr Nusbaumer continued 'I then asked the court to fix bail and he replied that at present he would not fix bail, but that he might do so subsequently The clerk then proceeded to call the next case I rose to my feet and stated that the sentence was void and that my client was not subject to arrest because the motion for a new trial had not been passed on Judge Wood then said 'I will now set the judgment aside The judgment of the court is set aside I now overrule the motion for a new trial.' The court then passed the same judgment on the prisoner as had been passed before At that stage I took my hat and walked out of the court, and as I was going out I heard the court pass judgment again"

Mr Snook said he would like to have the case continued till this afternoon to give Judge Wood a chance to testify as to the facts of the case.

Judge Ellsworth said that he felt that he would have to hold the petitioner under one or the other of the judgments If the defendant, it had been found, had been held under a void judgment, and there had been a prior judgment in the case that was valid, the defendant would have to be held on that valid judgment. His opinion was that the second judgment was the real judgment of the case When a judgment was announced from the bench, and, before any other business intervened, the court proceeded to announce another judgment corrective of or adding to the first judgment, the second judgment would be the one that would stand Otherwise there would be no remedy for the mistakes which sometimes attend the first announcement of judgments.

Attorney Nusbaumer said that, before the court formally decided the application, he would like to have the case continued three or four days to enable him to get the matter to the Supreme Court

Judge Ellsworth said he would be pleased to have the Supreme Court pass on the matter and he therefor continued the passing of sentence until Thursday next.

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SNOWED IN.

Trains in Trouble on the Line of the Northern Pacific

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

FARGO, N D, Nov 30—With two rotary engines working out of Fargo on the Northern Pacific since Saturday morning, the train snowed in five miles east of Valley City was reached at 10 o'clock this morning.

Only half a mile was cleared yesterday.

The drifts in the cuts were 6 to 4 feet deep, and packed with sand. Picks were required to loosen it up

The branch to Edgely is still frozen up People along this line are out of wood and coal

Small towns along the main line are also out of fuel.

Beyond Oriska today two snow plows collided.

Snow Shoveller Hans Hanson was instantly killed, and a foreman and two section men seriously wounded.

IN WISCONSIN.

CHIPPEWA FALLS, Wis., Nov 30.—An ice gorge has formed in the Chippewa River near the Dalles and the water is backing steadily into town

From a height of ten feet it rose to fifteen in two hours today

Residents in the lower portion of the city are moving their stock and household effects to protected ground.

Great excitement prevails.

The thermometer registers 5 degrees below zero.

NOW A NEW TACK.

Broker Chapman Is Reversed by the Supreme Court.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON Nov 30—The Supreme Court has dismissed the writ of error in the case of Elverton R Chapman, the New York broker, who refused to answer the questions put by the Senate Sugar Trust Investigation Committee two years ago

This makes it necessary for Chapman to serve his sentence, at least technically

He will be promptly surrendered by his bondsmen and the case again carried to the Supreme Court on habeas corpus proceedings to test the constitutionality of the act on which the prosecution was based.

THE DAVIS CONTEST.

A Three Million Dollar Estate in the Courts.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30—The contest over the estate of the late Jacob Z Davis, valued at $3,000,000, was commenced today

The contestants are the niece and nephew residing in the East

Davis left all his estate to the two nieces of his wife

The contest developed the fact that Davis was not the true name of the dead millionaire, but Dedicker

He changed his name from Dedicker to Davis because as the contestants allege, he was an apprentice when he ran away to California and changed his name to avoid legal proceedings

SHOT HIMSELF.

A Prominent Young Eastern Man Commits Suicide While Ill.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Nov 30—Robert D Marshall, 34 years old, Superintendent of the Altoona Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad, shot himself at his brother's house in Washington today

Marshall was one of the most valued young men in the Pennsylvania service He had been suffering from acute nervous troubles, resulting from overwork.

He was a son of J. W. Marshall, Consul to Leeds during the war and Assistant Postmaster General under President Grant.

A STEAMER AFIRE.

Two Men Burned to Death and Three Have a Close Call.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SOUTH HAVEN, Mich, Nov. 30—The steamer City of Kalamazoo, owned by the I. W. Williams Transfer Company, took fire this morning and is almost a total loss

Robert Van Ostrand and Joseph Land who were on the boat, were burned to death.

Three other men escaped without their clothing.

The origin of the fire is unknown.

There was good insurance.

End of a Sport.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Nov 30—at 8 A. M. Thomas Joy, well known as "Tonie" Joy in sporting circles, died at a hospital. Some one shot him last night, and Joy never regained consciousness. The police have no clue to the murderer or the cause of the murder.

The Wheat Market.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—Wheat, Nov. 81⅝, Dec 81¼; Jan. 82⅝. Oats, Nov. 18; Dec. 18⅛@¼.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—Wheat, firm; Dec, 1.52⅝; May 1.62⅝. Barley firm; May 98⅞.

In Port.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Arrived: Pomerannia, Glasgow; Armenia, Hamburg; Furnessia, Glasgow.

HAVRE, Nov. 30.—La Touraine, New York.

WAYMIRE SELECTED.

A Popular Alamedan Is Slated for the Cabinet.

HE IS M'KINLEY'S FRIEND.

The Portfolio Is to Be Secretary of the Interior.

HIS INFLUENCE EXTENSIVE.

The News Is Said to Be Obtained With a Guarantee.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov 30—The Bulletin will say this afternoon both editorially and locally that James A Waymire of this city and Alameda will be the Pacific Coast representative in the Cabinet of President-elect McKinley

While no portfolio has yet been definitely assigned to Judge Waymire, it is understood he will be Secretary of the Interior.

The Bulletin says Its information on the point is beyond question.

Waymire is a prominent attorney and capitalist.

He is a personal friend of Major McKinley, and also of Mark Hanna.

At the St Louis convention Waymire was of great service to Hanna and during the campaign was understood to be the personal representative in California of McKinley and Hanna

He was associated with Chairman McLaughlin of the Republican State Central Committee in directing the Republican campaign in this State

Waymire was for thirteen years a resident of Oregon, and has lived so long on the coast that he is familiar with all the interests of the Pacific Coast States.

He represented his Assembly district in the Legislature at the last session and was re-elected at the recent election

He has also been prominent in Grand Army circles.

THE SCHOOLS OPENING.

Disregard of the Orders of the San Francisco Health Board.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30—The Board of Health has virtually given up its fight against the School Department and the prospects are that the three schools closed by the health authorities last week will be reopened tomorrow.

Rev. Father Brennan who is in charge of St Francis Parochial School in the Mission, today took a firm stand against Health Officer Lovelace and his Deputies

This morning the children attending school, assembled as usual

Dr Lovelace was on hand and stationed men at the main entrance with instructions to prevent the pupils from entering

Father Brennan opened the side entrance and the classes formed

The Health Officer called attention to the order of the Board of Health closing the school

"You may inform the Health Board for me," replied Father Brennan, "that I do not recognize their right to interfere and I shall not respect their order."

The School Directors do not recognize that diphtheria is an epidemic.

Dr Charles A Clinton, who is well qualified to talk on the subject, ridicules the idea and states that nearly all the cases reported as diphtheria are nothing more serious than tonsilitis.

TOM FLINT LOSES.

The Official Returns Show That He Is Not an Elector.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SACRAMENTO Cal., Nov. 30—The Bee will publish this evening that the official returns show that Martin, the Bryan elector, beats Flint, the Republican elector, by about 164 votes, giving Bryan one of the nine California electors.

This is based upon the supposition that the Santa Clara County returns are correct, but her returns appear to be badly jumbled.

The Bee has prepared a table and only awaits the news from Santa Clara to state the case positively.

All Paid Up

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

OMAHA, Nov. 30.—The time for paying the first assessment of the trans-Mississippi Exposition Stock closed Saturday night. With a slight exception every subscriber paid his 5 per cent call.

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NOTICE.

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The Leading Hatters & Tailors of 958-960 Washington Street are selling an All Wool Pair of Pants for $4.50. Call and see them.

SAY IT WAS A GIFT.

The Rynders Stock Fight Is Before Judge Greene.

MUCH PROPERTY AT STAKE.

Witnesses Testify to the Transfer of the Shares.

THE HEIRS ARE FIGHTING.

The Oakland Gas Company Figures in the Case.

The matter of the estate of James P Rynders came up before Judge Greene this morning The man was in the interest of a minor heir named Henry Marshall, with a view to having $45 000 worth of Oakland Gas Light and Heat Company included in the inventory of the estate of the deceased

The stock has not been mentioned because it is claimed by the executor of the estate that it was given as a Christmas present to Mrs John Scott a niece of the deceased and the wife of the executor

Attorney Jordan of San Francisco placed on the stand and said that he had told the executor, who had applied to him that he did not consider there had been a proper delivery of the stock to the niece of Rynders and that therefore, the stock should be listed in the inventory

Mrs Scott was then placed on the stand and testified to the receipt by her from her uncle, Rynders of the $45 000 amount of stock which included 900 shares

Judge Greene was not satisfied with the examination and at 2 30 o clock this afternoon he subjected Mrs Scott to close examination as to how she had had come into possession of the stock

Before the examination by the Court was begun, Judge Greene invited the mother and the husband of Mrs Scott, and Mr Frick, all witnesses in the case, to retire into his chambers

The witness then stated that Rynders had given her the stock and that he had previously to giving her the stock told her several times that he intended to give it to her.

There was only one occasion on which any other person was present when Rynders told witness he was going to give her the stock. On the occasion in question, it was witness' mother who was present

When the stock was handed to her witness said that the tender was witnessed by her husband and Emil Frick She could not definitely state what hour of the day it was at which the stock was given to her.

STEINWAY IS DEAD.

The Famous Piano Maker Succumbs to Typhoid Fever.

How a Celebrated Family Made a Fortune in America.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30—William Steinway, the piano manufacturer died today of typhoid fever.

Steinway, who had not been in good health for a year, was taken with typhoid fever about five weeks ago.

He was thought to be progressing toward recovery, but Sunday had a relapse.

Public funeral services will be conducted Wednesday afternoon at the Liederkranz Club Many societies of which Steinway was a member will parade.

Steinway was born near Brunswick, Germany, March 5, 1836. His father, Henry Englehard Steinway, was a piano manufacturer. At 14 he was an expert musician.

In 1849 Steinway's father sent his son Charles to this country to ascertain a possible field for the piano business here The report was favorable, and in June, 1850, the elder Steinway moved his family and business to New York City

Business at first was limited to the manufacture of one piano a week

Nine years later the Steinways built the present factory on Fourth avenue from Fifty-second to Fifty-third street.

In 1862 additional factories were established at Astoria L I

William Steinway became head of the firm in 1889 He was always active in public affairs

In 1892 Steinway was one of the Democratic electors at large of New York He was a member of the original rapid transit commission, and was reappointed on the new commission He was liberal in all business and personal relations.

AROUND THE COURTS.

Litigation of Much Interest to Both Bench and Bar.

A F. Schrweer, E. Schween and John B. Hortenstein have been appointed to appraise the estate of Herman Schroeder, deceased

A W Bishop, Daniel J Mullins and Maurice Flynn have appraised the estate of Frederick C. Lowry, deceased, at $3,150

Marie Alexandrine Courbaye has petitioned for letters of administration on the estate of her late sister, Augustine Eugenie Peron of Alameda. The estate is worth $1,800 and consists of a house and lot on Buena Vista street, Alameda The heirs are the petitioner and another sister, Jeannie Julie Manisse of Paris, France

Luzia F Rose has filed the first account of her guardianship of the person and estate of Manuel S Silva, a minor. It shows the total amount received to have been $1 160 35, while $1,848 85 has been expended.

LET'S PUT THE CASE

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OAKLAND, CAL.

HURT WHILE HUNTING.

Serious Accident to Three Boys on the Alameda Marsh.

While hunting in the Alameda marsh yesterday afternoon, Harry Canty aged 12 years was seriously injured by the accidental discharging of a gun, and his companions, John Donavan and John Strick aged 12 and 13 years respectively, received slight wounds

Canty is at the Receiving Hospital in a precarious condition, the shot having penetrated his lungs Donavan received a charge of shot in the right hand and as a consequence two fingers had to be amputated

BURGLARS WERE BUSY.

Five Cases in Town Reported to the Police Station.

Five burglaries were reported to the police yesterday morning Four of them came from the Eureka Hotel, where rooms were entered and minor articles stolen

The other report came from Fred Robinson, who rooms at the southwest corner of Eighth and Washington streets His clothes, jewelry and nearly everything in his room was taken.

A MONTH IN JAIL.

James Carlin Gets Off Easily for the Ferry Affair.

James Carlin one of the pair captured on the ferry a short time ago with other people's baggage in their possession, this morning was sentenced to thirty days' imprisonment There may be another complaint charging the prisoner with exhibiting a deadly weapon, for he made his escape from the Deputy Sheriff once by exposing a revolver

Hawley Carlin's partner in crime, is in Monterey, standing trial for burglary.

A ROAD IN TROUBLE.

Appointment of a Receiver for a Traction Company.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov 30—Judge Dallas, in the United States Circuit Court today appointed William B Given of Columbus Pa, receiver of the Pennsylvania Traction Company which operates fifty-nine miles of trolley railway in Lancaster County

It is understood the proceedings were instituted by those friendly to the present management and reorganization will be effected

The road cost over $3,000,000.

BOTH MIND AND BODY.

A Feast of Food Added to the One of Reason.

Successful Opening of the Lunch Room at the High School.

The High School luncheon opened today Long tables lined with rosy cheeked girls and bright faced boys enjoyed five and ten cent lunches provided by the High School cuisine. Professor McChesney, Professor Meads and two or three other teachers enjoyed a simple repast with their pupils

There were six long tables in the room with covers laid for ninety-six Nearly eighty pupils took luncheon today Little cards at each cover announced the menu to be as follows.

Soup	5c
Hash and one egg	5c
Baked Potatoes and Butter	5c
Stew	5c
Cup of Cocoa or Postum Cereal with Bread and Butter	5c
Baked Beans	5c

The food was excellent in quality, and the three darkies gave prompt and efficient service

"The lunch is a success," announced Principal McChesney "We ought to have had this room opened long ago. Now for a nickel a child can obtain something warm to eat or drink, and this may save him from dyspeptic pangs in the future I think the plan is a success and I for one shall patronize the lunch room"

Professor McChesney stated distinctly that no one outside of the School Department would be allowed to purchase a lunch at the High School rooms

Mrs Hitchcock, who has charge of the lunch room is encouraged by today's attendance, but feels that it is too early in the day to call the enterprise a success She has employed four waiters and two cooks and has gone to considerable expense to make the luncheon attractive and to give wholesome, well prepared food.

W. H. JORDAN SHOT.

He Was Quarrelling With a Very Persistent Collector.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BOSTON, Nov 30—In a little candy and fruit store on Broadway, in South Boston, this forenoon, H H Holmes shot W H Jordan, the proprietor of the store, three times.

Jordan succeeded in cutting a deep gash in Holmes' throat before he fell to the floor exhausted

They quarreled over an unpaid bill.

It is believed both will die

Oakland Lost.

The team from the Oakland Whist Club was defeated Saturday by the San Francisco Whist Club team in the Payot contest by thirty-seven points. The Oakland team consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Eby, Mr and Mrs. Frank Otis Mr. Robinson and Miss Brown, Mr Walsh and Mrs. Haslett, Mr. and Mrs E F Palmer, Mr. and Mrs E. A. Heron, A W Havens and Miss Blackwood, Mr. and Mrs A F. Coffin.

Reduced the Allowance.

The family allowance of the widow of the late Franklin Moss was reduced from $200 to $75 a month.

ELECTION EXPENSES.

The Total Bills Will Foot Up Something Like $22,000.

MANY ARE ORDERED PAID.

Auditor Whidden Reports on the County Funds.

HEAVY DISBURSEMENTS MADE.

The Supervisors Hold a Brief, but Busy Session

A large portion of the time of the Supervisors was spent this morning, listening to the reading of and approving the numerous county bills which find their way to the Clerk's desk about the first of every month The Grand Jurors and election officers were nearly all ordered paid The election expenses for offices, polling places and lights were found to amount to $11,132, though when the other necessary expenditures for publishing the proclamation, Great Register, etc come in the total will be swelled to about $22 000

Liquor permits were granted to Alfred Py Sunol Charles Steyer, Mission, B McDermott Piedmont, Richard Hughes, Shellmound, Raymond Fadle, Niles

The following communication was received from Frank Reed, Secretary of the Pacific Poultry and Pigeon Association

In furtherance of our application to you for an appropriation toward our coming poultry show, I beg to mention a fact which we overlooked when we had the pleasure of appearing before your honorable body, that is, our intention to give in our premium list, two thousand copies of which will be distributed all over the county, a map of the County of Alameda, and a description of her resources These premium lists will reach the very Eastern class which promoters of immigration most deserve to meet—to wit small farmers, orchardists, stock and poultrymen, and this step in itself will, we think, appeal to you as an item in itself of no light consideration"

The grade of Howe street from Moss avenue to Booth street was officially established by resolution

Joseph Pimenta Justice of Eden Township, filed his statement of fees for September and October It showed that $50 50 had been collected

D A Mendenhall et al., petitioned for a bridge over the Mocho creek, where the road crosses on the Still property The petition was filed

W A Knowles, E C Sessions, Wilber Walker, J S Johnson, F J Woodward et al, petitioned the Board to vacate and abandon a portion of the Thorn Hill road near the summit which passes over the lands of the Oakland Water Company, W J and Virginia Dingee This was deemed necessary, for the route to Moraga Valley has since been changed and the land is of no use. Upon motion of Supervisor Talcott, D C Brown, Wilber Walker and George Nusbaumer were appointed viewers, to report at the next meeting of the Board

THE AUDITOR'S REPORT.

The report of the County Auditor for the quarter ending November 2nd, was filed. It showed the following figures

Receipts—State revenue, $9,553.64, County General, $1 ,787 54, County Infirmary, $1,374 30; common school, $3,334 94, salary $10,258 47; road and bridges, $2 774 12; law library, $513; Teachers' Institute and Library, $50, road poll tax, $24,140, personal property tax, $5,454 08

Sanitary Districts—Adeline, $6,059 56, school district bonds outstanding, $79,000 Gate $23 50 Union High School, $1 $75 75, $2, $1 40, $3, $10 08 Special School—Fruitvale, $6, Lockwood, $4 Temescal, $7 85, school bonds, $61 79 Total, $51,626 03; cash on hand, August 3, 1896 $298,518 1 , grand total, $350,144 14

Warrants outstanding, $12,243 77, school district bonds outstanding, 79,000.

Disbursements—County General, $58,837 84, County Infirmary, $15,086 61, Law Library, $792 50, Common School, $63,533 82; Teachers' Institute, $79 30; salary, $27,562 74

Schools—Union High, No. 1, $1,062 23, No 2, $1 527 44, No $1,405 25

Roads—General Road Fund, $1.98, Altamont, $307 85, Alvarado, $527, Bay, $305 50, Brooklyn, 776.50; Castro Valley, $355 35, Centerville, $324.57; Claremont, $59 35, Dublin, $169 45, Fruitvale, $2,346 31, Mt Eden $1 053 18, Mission, $471 95, Murray, $4 8.70; Newark, $78, Niles, $598 15, Ocean View, $171.38, Peralta, $190 50

Pleasanton $34; Palomares, $66 80, Piedmont $1 428 95, San Lorenzo, $752 15, Temescal, $397 7 , Vallecito, $131.25, Washington, $665 97 road damage, $1,300.

Sanitary Districts—Adeline, $6 637.70, Fruitvale No 1 441.85; No. 2, $325, Golden Gate, $227 6 , Golden Gate, (additional) $275, Piedmont, $6 118.50; Vallevista, $933.95, Union, $2,202 90

School Districts—Lockwood, $4, Fruitvale, $61 30, Summit, $5; Temescal, $1,672 Total, $202,201 79

Cash on hand, November 2nd, $147,942 35, grand total, $350,144 14.

A suitable resolution was passed transferring $3, 46 62 from the County General Fund to the State Revenue Fund, in order to pay the State Treasurer the amount due for the maintenance of persons committed to the Whittier Reform and Preston Schools Of this amount, Whittier gets $1,214 28, while the apportionment to Preston is $832 34.

The Board then took a recess until 2 o'clock

At the afternoon session, the Board immediately adjourned until next Monday The members then went to Fruitvale to inspect the new county road.

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A Fine New Home.

It will suit you. Open for inspection. Parlor 18x20, wood work all enameled white and gold mantel. Lower hall 11x24, redwood and Spanish cedar. Dining room 15x18, all finished in oak; fine side board with full front beveled plate glass, large oak mantel. The above rooms are all beautifully tinted and frescoed. Large kitchen. Five bed rooms 14x15 each, all finished in white wood and richly tinted. Upper hall 12x17. Bath room with walls and ceiling completely enameled; polished rim porcelain bath tub. Large cement basement, with furnace, and register to every room. Incandescent wires, etc. Plate glass windows throughout. Will sell cheap. Excellent neighborhood. Close to business. Lot 54x143. Call and investigate.

G. B. M. GRAY, 463 Ninth Street

A BANK BREAKS.

The Missouri National Bank Succumbs to a Run.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

KANSAS CITY, Mo, Nov. 30.—Bulletin—The Missouri National Bank closed its doors this morning, owing to heavy withdrawals of one of its principal depositors

The deposits are $1,500,000. A statement of the bank's assets and liabilities is not yet obtainable.

The bank was classed as one of the strongest in the Southwest

Shortly after 11 o'clock the following notice was placed on the door

By order of the directors this bank has been closed and is in the hands of the comptroller'

This action was precipitated by the withdrawal of $50,000 in one lump by Heim, a wealthy local brewer, whose action was quickly followed by others

The last statement issued by the bank showed deposits of $1,561 000, cash and exchanges $546,000.

D V Rieger is president, and D R Covington cashier

In the panic of July, 1893, the Missouri National was one of the local institutions to go under, but soon reopened

The bank had been open today just an hour when the comptroller took charge

The officers were too excited to make a statement.

Some surprised was evinced everywhere

No fears were expressed by the other leading bankers that the failure would spread

Two causes are assigned for the suspension. One is slow collections and the other and prime reason, was dissensions among the directors These finally led to a clash with the government

President Rieger said this afternoon "I have little to say, except there is no doubt whatever that the depositors will get every dollar they deposited here and if the business is judiciously handled the stockholders should get a fair return"

H A. Forman of St. Louis, National Bank Examiner for Missouri, is in charge of the bank.

MADE THE MARKS.

A Girl Who Has Important Information About a Robbery.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

KANSAS CITY, Nov 30—Fifteen-year-old Emma Taylon, an orphan, has been held as an important witness against the four men who, Thanksgiving night attempted to rob a car full of passengers at the Kansas City & Independent Electric line

To Mrs James Townsend, who cared for the girl a year ago when she was brought here from Council Bluffs Iowa, as a student, she declared she had made their masks and knew their plans

She was recently released from the House of the Good Shepherd.

The police believe she fell into the clutches of the gang and also that she can tell something of the Chicago and Alton robbery

WANT LOWER RATES.

An Appeal on Coast Business Filed With the Commission.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

DENVER, Nov 30—A petition has been filed with the Inter-State Commerce Commission, Washington, by representatives of the Santa Fe Rio Grande, Rio Grande Western, Southern Pacific Colorado Midland and Union Pacific, asking that these roads be permitted to charge less in the aggregate for longer distances between Colorado points and California than for shorter distances over the same lines

The purpose is that the railroads may be allowed to make a schedule of lower rates from Denver and other points in the State to the Pacific Coast than Salt Lake City

The Inter-State Commerce Commission has set the hearing on the petition for December 18th at Washington

GROVER GETS EVEN.

Those Who Fought Him in the Recent Campaign to Be Discharged.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Nov 30—The President to-day made the following appointments and removals.

Postmasters Illinois — Evanston, Charles Raymond, vice David P O-Leary, removed. Missouri — Mexico, Luke W. Morris, vice John W. Mason, removed

The postmaster at Evanston was charged with going out of his jurisdiction to sell stamps and postal supplies so as to increase the receipts of his office and raise his salary and allowances.

The Mexico, Mo, postmaster was charged with pernicious activity in politics, insulting the President, and making attacks upon his alleged neglect of office He is a believer in free coinage of silver The complaints set out that during the campaign he made himself obnoxious by breaking up gatherings of the opposite political faith.

About a hundred postoffices are involved in charges of pernicious activity in politics now filed with Postmaster-General Wilson. They include a number of big offices

DE YOUNG CALLS.

The San Francisco Newspaper Man Is Visiting McKinley.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CANTON, Ohio, Nov. 30—There have only on rare occasions been in Canton as many distinguished party leaders as are here today

Some members of Congress about to start for Washington stopped over to confer with the President-elect.

Senator Lodge of Massachusetts arrived this morning and was with McKinley till 2:05.

Hon. M. H. De Young of the Chronicle of San Francisco and Mrs. De Young arrived early this morning and were at the McKinley house some time, Mrs. De Young spending nearly the whole morning with Mrs McKinley

General Horace Porter of New York, who is expected to be Chief Marshal of the inaugural parade, arrived at 1 o'clock this afternoon and went directly to McKinley's home.

A COLD-BLOODED SNAP

1000 Overcoats!

What will we do with them? Keep them? NO!

They will be sold at prices enabling the poorest man and boy to be warm and well-dressed.

For men—OVERCOATS AND ULSTERS—we have them from..... $3.65

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JONAS BROS. CLOTHING CO. 1063-1065 BROADWAY

MADE HIS OWN WAY.

Death in Philadelphia of Ex-United States Senator Scott.

By Associated Press to The Tribune

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 30—J. S. Scott, ex-United States Senator to Pennsylvania and formerly solicitor of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, died in this city today after a brief illness, aged 74

Scott was a member of the Senate from 1869 to 1875, being succeeded by Wm A Wallace

He was born in Huntington County, Pa His educational advantages were confined to the primitive district schools of his day

He studied law with Judge Thompson at Chambersburg, who was also the legal preceptor of Senator Hendricks of Indiana

Scott leaves a widow and six grown sons.

SAWED THE BARS.

Thirteen Prisoners Escape From the Wyandotte Jail.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov 30—Thirteen prisoners escaped from Wyandotte County Jail across the line of Kansas this morning.

Three have been captured.

All the available officers are scouring the country in pursuit of the ten others.

The prisoners sawed their way out. All save one, Walter Wood, who is charged with murder, were held for minor crimes.

The Miners' Trouble.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LEADVILLE, Colorado, Nov 30.—In the District Court today the cases against the officers of the miners' Union, charged with being implicated in the murder of Fireman Jerry O'Keefe, who was killed during the attack on the Coronado mine September 27th last, were dismissed on motion of the District Attorney, who said he had no evidence against them The hearing in the case of Charles Bone, and William Rowe, charged with the O'Keefe murder, was begun behind closed doors.

Shot as a Rebel.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HAVANA, Nov. 30—Quinten Hernandez, classed as "rebel incendiary," was shot this morning outside of Cabenas fortress.

PAID UNDER PROTEST.

Edson F. Adams Pays His Taxes Into the Treasury.

Edson F Adams this afternoon paid into the city treasury $2,304 32 as taxes on 76 acres owned by the Adams estate in the northern part of the city. Accompanying the money was a protest The assessment is $456 300 The protestants set forth that $304,300 would be a fair valuation and that the County Board of Equalization made the reduction

MRS. COLT IS DEAD.

The Widow of the Revolver Inventor Passes Away.

Mrs. Mary B. Colt, widow of Judge James B. Colt, inventor of the Colt's revolver, died at midnight She was residing with her daughter, Mrs George Edwards, at 2530 Dwight Way, Berkeley

The deceased was a native of Baltimore, aged 72 years She lived in Berkeley for nearly fifteen years prior to her death.

The funeral will be held Thursday.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Chris Milisich, Oakland	31
Katie Stratford, Oakland	20
Anthony D Pacheco, San Leandro	24
Beda L Peterson, Oakland	17
John T Hegerty, Berkeley	25
Anne M Candboldt, Centerville	18
Nels Person, Berkeley	44
Matilda Johnson, Oakland	29
John H Davis, Berkeley	24
Margaret Lestrange, Berkeley	22
Manuel Fernandes, Oakland	28
Mary A Firmes, Oakland	20
George Peck, San Francisco	35
Bertha Zueger, San Francisco	18
Walter G Smith, San Francisco	18
Mae F. Mara, San Francisco	18

COURT CALENDAR.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1896.

Department 1, Judge Frick—Robinson vs Thompson; Courtner vs Salz.

Department 2, Judge Ogden—Murdoch vs Oakland, San Leandro and Haywards Electric Railway Company.

Department 3, Judge Ellsworth—Spring Valley Water Company vs. J. L Beard

Department 4, Judge Greene—People vs Devencenzi and Michael Collins.

Delinquent Taxes.

Indications are that the delinquincy in city taxes this year will be about $15,000 The taxes become delinquent at 6 o'clock to-night.

C. W. Kinsey, Dealer in Fine New and Second-Hand Furniture, Carpets, Ranges, Etc.,

"Modern" furniture bought or exchanged. Auction sales on premises. Call and see us. 462-464 Thirteenth street.

BORN.

BAKAR—In this city, November 25, 1896, to the wife of P. Bakar, twin sons

WHITE—In this city, November 29 1896, to the wife of Will B. White, Deputy Sheriff, a son.

DIED.

KING—In this city, November 29 1896, Augustus B King, a native of London, England, aged 80 years and 3 months

ANGELL—In this city November 28 1896, Elsie A Angell a native of Rhode Island, aged 81 years 11 months and 8 days.

FALKINGHAM—In Alameda November 29 1896, Joseph Jewett Falkingham a native of Burnett, Wis, aged 52 years and 12 days.

We never talk cheap stuff, but when we get a first-class article at a bargain we want our customers to know it. We have some tip top coffee that we will sell at 4 1-2 lbs. for $1.00.

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SUMMONS.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda State of California

Department No 3.

J J CRISTY, Plaintiff,

vs.

A CRISTY Defendant

Action brought in the Superior Court of the County of Alameda State of California, and the complaint filed in said County of Alameda in the office of said Clerk of said Superior Court

The people of the State of California send greeting to A Cristy defendant

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the Superior Court of the County of Alameda State of California, and to answer the complaint filed therein within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after service on you of this summons, if served within this county otherwise within thirty days

The said action is brought to obtain a decree of this Court dissolving the bonds of matrimony heretofore and now existing between plaintiff and defendant, and for such other relief as to the Court may seem proper, upon the ground of defendant's willful neglect special references being made to the complaint on file herein for further particulars

And you are hereby notified, that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint, as above required, the said plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, this seventeenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six

(Seal) FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

By F H MASON, Deputy Clerk.

FRANK SHAY, Plaintiff's Att'y, 421 Parrott Building, San Francisco, Cal.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Charles B. Wells, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executrix of the estate of Charles B Wells, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice to the said executrix, at the office of E C. Chapman, Mills Building, San Francisco Cal., 7th floor, room 43-45, which said office the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Charles B Wells, deceased

MARGARET A. WELLS

Executrix of the estate of Chas B. Wells, deceased.

Dated Oakland, Nov. 30th, 1896.

E C. CHAPMAN, Mills Building San Francisco, Cal., Attorney for Executrix.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

WANTED—An experienced girl to take care of one room, bath and baby, wages $10. Call 1074 Twelfth st., bet Linden and Chestnut sts. Call in morning.

WANTED — Small furnished flat with bath; terms must be reasonable. Address M. S. T., Station "D," P. O., San Francisco.

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ATTORNEYS.

PHIL M. WALSH—Attorney-at-law, City Justices' Court building, 510 cor. Broadway and Eighth sts.

GEORGE W. LANGAN—Attorney and counselor-at-law, Livermore, Cal.; practices in all courts.

BEN F. WOOLNER—Attorney and counselor-at-law and Notary Public. 1002½ Broadway, rooms 7 and 8.

CLINTON G. DODGE—Rooms 15 and 16, 906 Broadway.

FOX & GRAY—Attorneys-at-law, Pacific Mutual Building, entrance 8, fourth floor, San Francisco.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA—967 Broadway, northeast cor. of 9th st., Oakland, room 3, telephone No. 38.

JOHNSON & SHAW—Law office, 921 Broadway, rooms 2, 3 and 5.

MELVIN C. CHAPMAN—Attorney-at-law, 967 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., rooms 3, 4 and 5.

SNOOK & CHURCH, Attorneys-at-law, room 3, Dist. Atty's office, Court House.

NYE & KINSELL—Attorneys-at-law, 962 Broadway.

R. M. FITZGERALD—Attorney-at-law, 254½ Broadway, rooms 1 and 2, Oakland.

SAMUEL BELL McKEE JR.—Attorney-at-law, 967 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

DENTISTS.

J. M. DUNN, D. D. S., 1155 Broadway, rooms 27, 28, 29. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

FURNITURE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—First-class household furniture in five-room cottage, cheap Owner going East. 1417 Webster street, Alameda.

FOR SALE—Articles of all kinds, new and good as new; take time and see our store and stock in trade; we mean it. Have you ever been to see us. If not, why not? We are the people. We have known mothers to come to our store with babes in their arms, babes have grown up, got married and bought goods of the same Schellhaas. Same store over twenty years, no need of moving or changing our appearances. 408 Eleventh st See

FURNITURE.—Elegant household furniture for five rooms cheap. 1417 Webster street, Alameda.

HIGH BACK brace arm chairs, $1 apiece; new sets beveled plate glass, $12.50, specialty of the Universal stove; will sell goods 25 per cent cheaper than any other store in Oakland Call at the Golden Gate Furniture Store, 473 and 475 Eighth st., bet. Broadway and Washington sts.

WANTED—You to know that we are going to have a new store next to our old one. We are offering granite ware at manufacturers' prices; crockery, glassware, tinware, at your own price. H. Schellhaas, 408 Eleventh st.

EDUCATION.

PRIVATE LESSONS at 342 Telegraph avenue, in stenography, typewriting, bookkeeping and a general English education, with writing, terms easy

PROF. W. J FITZGERALD prepares pupils for Grammar Grades and High Schools and teachers' examinations. Mathematics and Latin a specialty. Pupils and adults who wish to thoroughly master any one or more of the English branches are invited to call Day and evening sessions. Terms reasonable. 522 Tenth st Oakland.

MONEY TO LOAN.

WANTED—To borrow $5,000, at 8 per cent per annum, payable monthly upon centrally located business property in Oakland Address A T. M., box 1, Tribune office.

$100 00 ON OAKLAND, Alameda and Berkeley improved real estate at 8 per cent, on business property at 7½ per cent, undivided estates in probate; stocks and bonds life insurance, any sum Shainwald Buckee & Co, 218-220 Montgomery st, San Francisco.

$300, $500, $1500, $5000 ON REAL ESTATE, Oakland and vicinity, interest 8 and 9 per cent. Loans arranged on shortest possible notice Hugh M Cameron, broker 479 Ninth st, Oakland.

WANTED MISCELLANEOUS.

"WANTED"—Second hand money for new furniture, at H. Schellhaas, 408 Eleventh street.

PHYSICIANS' DIRECTORY.

D. D CROVLEY, M. D.—Surgeon; office Central block. 1062 Broadway, Oakland.

MUSICAL

S. C. BALDWIN, teacher of banjo, mandolin and guitar; 4 lessons, 1 per week, $4; 8 lessons, 2 per week, $6; instruments furnished pupils free to take home. Studio, 1008½ Broadway, room 18.

MONEY WANTED.

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DRESSMAKING.

DRESSMAKER who is good at making over would like work by the day; $1.25 a day. Address A. S., box 2, this office.

LADIES' TAILOR late of New York, will make all kinds of tailor dresses, riding habits and coats very reasonable. G. Maier, 1305 Clay st

MISS A. E. WEST, in connection with dressmaking parlors, will open a branch department for misses and children; latest styles and first class work guaranteed. 1008 Clay st.

FIRST CLASS DRESSMAKER to introduce work will go out for $1.50 per day. Mrs. E. B. Alexander, 986 Harrison st.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT.

TO LET—Beautiful suite of front rooms, also very nice housekeeping and single rooms, at the Chicago House, 461 Ninth st, between Washington and Broadway.

NICELY FURNISHED rooms for housekeeping. Apply 613 Fifteenth st., near Jefferson.

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NICE furnished sunny rooms for rent; single or en suite; also nice flat for housekeeping; from $5 up; with all modern conveniences within easy reach of local trains. Apply 421 Sixth st.

513 WILLIAM STREET—Private residence with three desirable rooms to rent to gentlemen, and those musically inclined preferred, free use of parlor and piano

FOR RENT—Parlor, bedroom and kitchen, rent $12 413 Twelfth st.

FOR RENT—Three well furnished rooms for housekeeping bath. Apply 1159 Seventh st, Adeline station.

NICELY furnished rooms for housekeeping, parlor and kitchen, with one or two bedrooms, no children. Inquire at 1211 West st.

FOR RENT—Six rooms in first class condition, for $15, also five rooms for $12.50; two minutes' walk from Oak st station. Call from 1 to 3 30 at 836 Jackson st.

SINGLE ROOMS to rent at Second and Washington sts. for 75c and $1 per week.

NICE furnished sunny rooms for rent, single or en suite, for housekeeping; from $5 up; with all modern conveniences; within easy reach of local trains. Apply 421 Sixth st.

UNFURNISHED ROOMS TO LET.

FOR RENT—Unfurnished parlor, bedroom and kitchen, rent $12; 413 Twelfth st.

ROOMS AND BOARDING.

WANTED—A little girl to board. 804 Telegraph ave., Oakland.

ROOM and first class board from $20 per month, for gentlemen, at the Brunswick Hotel.

PLEASANT HOME, near business center; sunny rooms, pleasant grounds and excellent table. 156 E. 12th st, cor 24 ave.

FLATS TO RENT.

UPPER FLAT of seven rooms and bath; two entrances; S W. corner Seventh and Webster sts. Apply at office of Oakland Journal.

FOR RENT—Lower flat, five rooms and bath, with all latest improvements. 834 Clay, near Seventh. Apply upstairs.

FOR RENT—A furnished flat, at 770 Sixth st; rent $15. Apply 1103½ Broadway, room 30

FOR RENT—Furnished flat of three bedrooms and kitchen; rent $15. 866 Center st.

$16, furnished flat, 4 rooms; corner Fifth and Webster. Pryal Realty Co, 966 Broadway.

HOUSES FOR SALE.

$1,350—SIX rooms and bath; $17 per month; no cash down. Alden & Co., 908 Broadway.

SMALLEST Price on Record—$2100—an 8 room modern cottage (two rooms in attic) with lot 37½ x 100, at 776 Harrison street, Oakland. Investigate it. For particulars apply to Albert Schmidt, 620 East Twelfth street, East Oakland.

HOUSES TO RENT.

FOR RENT—A house of five rooms; large yard and basement; rent $8; key at 811 Filbert st.

TO LET—Near race track, house of five rooms, bath, barn, carriage house and chickens. Call 115 Forty-fifth st., near San Pablo ave.

HOUSE TO RENT at 865 Chester st., eight rooms and bath; rent $20.

FOR RENT—Fine modern sunny house of eight rooms, conservatory, etc., decorated, central, very desirable; rent low 639 Jones or Twenty-first. Laymance, 466 Ninth st.

HOUSES WANTED.

WANTED—Cottage of 3 or 4 rooms, near car line. Address Mrs. Dean, corner 23d ave. and East 16th st.

HALLS TO LET.

LORING HALL, corner of Eleventh and Clay sts., for rent Thursday evenings. Inquire at the hall.

SITUATIONS WANTED FEMALE.

A SITUATION wanted by a competent woman as cook or general housework by week or month. Address Room 14, "Romania," cor 13th and Harrison.

AN EASTERN WOMAN desires a situation as cook in private family; No. 1 references Address Work, 572 Tenth st.

EXPERIENCED GIRL wants place to do light housework or upstairs work in private family. Call at 261 Eighth st.

A COMPETENT woman wants a situation as cook, or to do general housework. Address W. H., box 2, Tribune office.

DANISH GIRL wants situation; general housework or cooking, private family. 1511 Broadway, near Twentieth st.

COMPETENT girl desires situation as chambermaid and seamstress or second-work, city references Address D. M., Box 4, this office

AMERICAN GIRL wants situation for light housework or chamberwork. Call at 529 Eighth st, room 16.

A RESPECTABLE middle aged woman wants place; is good cook and baker, has first class references; no objection to short way in country. 772 Seventh st., near West

EMPLOYMENT OFFICE—Mrs. Cattell, 535 Eighth street near Clay; German, Scandinavian, all nationalities; referenced cooks, nurses, second girls, coachmen, gardeners etc. Tel. 543.

WANTED—Every day, people who are looking for bargains in carpets, oilcloths, mattings, second hand household goods bought, sold or exchanged by H. Schellhaas, the furniture dealer, 408 Eleventh st.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED—Reliable person for general housework; small family. Call 1367 Castro st.

GIRLS WANTED in Alameda for general housework, cooks, nurse girls, etc. Call at Mrs. Spencer's Employment Office, 1323 Park st., room 9, upstairs.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

SOBER, reliable student wants place to work evening and morning for board; understands care of horses. Address R. Blue, Oakland P. O.

EXPERIENCED grocery man, good bookkeeper, open for engagement. Address C. B., box 2, this office.

MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Trustworthy person to travel; salary $780 and expenses; reference. Enclose self addressed stamped envelope. Manager, box P, Chicago.

FOR EXCHANGE.

ELEGANT RESIDENCE—$10,000; trade; equity $6,000. Alden & Co., 908 Broadway.

REAL ESTATE.

Lorin—$1,350, lot 100x200 on 45th st. near San Pablo ave. car line, worth $2,000. A H. Blow, 1010 Broadway.

Peralta Heights—Lot 155x137 on Hanover ave., high and sightly, street work complete; this lot is worth $3,000, but we want an offer; can be sold in two lots call soon. A. H. Blow, 1010 Broadway.

East Oakland—Cheapest lot on 9th ave 50x150 feet; location first class, close to car line, call soon if you want a bargain. A. H Blow, 1010 Broadway.

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East Oakland—$2,000; nearly new modern cottage of 6 rooms, barn, lot 25x100, close to 23d ave. local station and Alameda & Oakland electric car line; small cash payment, balance payable monthly. A H Blow, 1010 Broadway.

Alameda—$1,250; lot 50x125 on Pacific st, near Chestnut, very cheap A. H. Blow, 1010 Broadway

65x100, cheapest lot on Piedmont ave

Piedmont—8 acres for sale at half its value.

Cheapest lot on Vernon Heights, 100x128, fine view of Oakland, Lake Merritt and hills.

$1 100; house of 3 large rooms, stable; lot 37 6x125 on Silver st., near Telegraph ave car line. A H. Blow, 1010 Broadway.

$1 000, cheapest lot on Caledonia ave, 30x142.

$175, lot 25x115, west side Union near 26th st. A H. Blow, 1010 Broadway.

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$1,250 will buy a fine building lot 50x150, situate on San Antonio avenue near Walnut street, Alameda William J. Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

$1,200—A nice five room cottage, bay window, flower garden, chicken houses, etc; situate on Hannah street; sunny exposure, lot 50 foot frontage. William J. Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

$150 cash and $30 per month, including interest, will buy a new modern house, containing seven rooms and bath; situate on Central avenue, Alameda, in a choice residence section; lot 30x125. William J. Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

$2,000—Story and a half modern cottage; situate in Alameda, on sunny side of Clinton avenue near Park street; contains six rooms and bath; lot 36x100; will exchange for Oakland property and assume mortgage. William J. Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

$2,000—Nice modern cottage of five rooms and bath; situate in Berkeley, on Channing way, near Shattuck avenue, lot 5x136. William J. Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

$1,500—Great bargain for immediate sale; 180x100; situate on East Twenty-fourth street near Eleventh avenue, East Oakland. William J Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

$4,650—Good modern two story house of eight rooms and bath; situate on Grove street, near Fifteenth street; lot 47½x 0; a bargain; $1,000 cash, balance to suit. William J. Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

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$7,000—Fine residence, 9 rooms, on Telegraph avenue; A beautiful home. Large lot Only offered for sale for special reasons. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st. 175N

$4,750—Special bargain, Harrison st. bet. 14th and Durant, 2-story house, 9 rooms and bath, lot 52x150, note the location. You cannot buy a lot for the same money. Will make exceptionally easy terms; you never had such an opportunity. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st. 204J

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LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Nov. 27th, on Washington st., bet. 9th and 13th, pair of gold eyeglasses with chain. Finder please return to 1068 Broadway.

STRAYED—November 27th, brown and white hunting dog. Return to 1307 Castro st., reward.

FOUND—Stray bay mare with white hind legs; owner can have same by paying costs. Dashaway Stables, 370 Eleventh st.

LOST—24th inst., a black Japanned tin box 4x6 inches; cash account book of Washington Blue Gravel Co. attached. Suitable reward if left at Ruedy's Hotel, Seventh and Franklin sts

LOST—White bull terrier male, about a year old, answers to name of Paddy, studded collar. Suitable reward if returned to 1308 Jackson st, Oakland.

BUTTERWORTH'S BROIL.

University Men Charge Their Defeat to His Account.

He is on the Blacklist as Far as "Coaching" is Concerned.

BERKELEY, Nov. 30—The complaints against Coach Butterworth are as loud as ever, new charges being brought up every day. He is said to have come out "just for fun." He stayed at the Palace, attended receptions, etc., every night, spent much of the remainder of his time in writing for the press, running down and discouraging the players, and what time was left, about two hours a day, he gave to coaching the team. For this he received $500 a month. It is a sure thing that Mr. Butterworth will not coach the Berkeley team next term.

The students' Aid Society is making active efforts to secure situations for such of the students as wish to work during the holidays.

The U. C. second eleven defeated the University of Nevada Saturday afternoon. They returned with the Glee Club yesterday.

A new gasoline motor has been put on the West Berkeley horse car system It will reduce the half-hourly trips to fifteen minutes each.

At the beginning of the term a list of all the students was placed in North Hall with an iron box for contributions. Each student was expected to place what he could each month in an envelope with his name, and place it in the box. The letter P is then place after his name for that month. So far about $100 has been collected, of which more than one-fourth has been given by freshmen.

Thayer, Dreyfelder and Dickie are preparing resolutions of regret for the death of Dr. Bente. The resolutions will be passed by the Associated Students.

BUTTE'S BIG BLUFF.

The Montana Football Team Patting Itself on the Back.

IT IS "JOSHING" RELIANCE.

The Sting of Defeat Last Year Sticks in Its Throat.

HOWLS OF DISAPPOINTMENT.

Wailing Because Oakland's Players Will Not Go North.

The Butte football players are trying to have a lot of fun with the Reliance men, as will be seen by the following article which appeared in last Monday's Anaconda Standard:

BACK DOWN AND OUT.

The Reliance Football Team is Afraid of the Smoke Eaters.

A VERY BRILLIANT FLUNK.

Splendid Offer Was Made By the Buttes But the Californians Declined and Made Rank Excuses.

Reliance has flunked in a manner that is regarded as being thoroughly unsportsmanlike and cowardly, and if Butte is ever to even up the score with the Oakland players the opportunity will have to come later in the season. In preference to taking chances of losing two games to the team which they had already beaten twice, the members of the Reliance team yesterday refused to fulfill their engagement to play in Butte on Thanksgiving day, and in so doing they violated every law, written and unwritten, of amateur sport and declined the most flattering offer that has ever been made to a football team in the West. Their fear of the Buttee team is shown by the fact that in showing the white feather they threw over their shoulders something like $1,500, which they would have cleared in their trip to Butte.

As stated yesterday Reliance first agreed to come to Butte for two games on Thanksgiving and Sunday following for a guarantee of $1,500 and an option on 60 per cent of the gross receipts. Four days ago their manager, J. Cal Ewing, telegraphed that the guarantee would have to be raised to $1,800 with an option of 75 per cent of the gross receipts. It became apparent then that they were attempting to crawl out of the game by raising the guarantee to a prohibitive figure, and rather than give them that satisfaction Manager McMillan telegraphed back accepting their terms, and Ewing replied that his team would leave for Butte last evening. On Sunday another telegram was received demanding a guarantee of $2,000, with an option of 75 per cent of the receipts. Manager McMillan replied that this demand could not be acceded to and that Reliance wanted the earth. On reconsidering the matter, however, he wired Manager Ewing yesterday morning to come ahead and that he could have $2,000 or three-fourths of the gross receipts. No answer was received to this message and a few hours later, in order to put the Reliance in a still deeper hole, Charles W. Clark, president of the club, wired the Reliance Club offering them a guarantee of $2,500 or a percentage of the receipts. This was $1,000 more than Reliance had first agreed to play for, and it made it impossible for the team to decline on the ground of expense.

Manager Ewing wired back a brief message yesterday afternoon stating that the offer could not be accepted, as the team was not in condition It may be stated that Reliance was in good enough condition to play the Olympics last Saturday, and Manager Ewing himself said then that the team was in perfect condition The trip of Reliance to Butte would have cost it just $1,450, including stops at Seattle and Portland, and with games in those cities it could have easily cleared $1,500 on the trip

The action of the Reliance in backing out of a game in which it saw a chance of defeat will occasion no surprise to people who are familiar with the history of that athletic organization insofar as it relates to the Butte team. When Reliance defeated the Buttes in this city last fall by a scratch every inducement was held out to them to play another game, but to no purpose. They were afraid of defeat and would take no chances When the Buttes went to California last winter and were defeated by a combination of cracks who played under the Reliance colors the giants came up smiling and asked for another game, but fear again got the best of the Oakland men and they refused to meet them a second time. The Southern Pacific offered to transport both teams free of charge to Los Angeles for another game, and while the Buttes were delighted at the opportunity to redeem themselves, Reliance positively refused to make the trip

After it was seen yesterday that Reliance had never intended to come to Butte negotiations were opened with the Olympics to fill their engagement, but the notice was too short The Olympics' manager sent word, however, that he would be pleased to entertain a proposition from Butte later on and it is to be hoped that that team will be seen here before long. The Olympic Club is a grand organization and any engagement that is made with its football team will be lived up to to the letter. Personally, the Buttes would much rather play the Olympics than Reliance, although the latter would have been the better drawing card in spite of the fact that the Olympics shut them out in last Saturday's game.

In order that the public may not be disappointed in a Thanksgiving day game it is likely that a game will be played on that day between two elevens of the Butte team. The two teams could be so evenly matched as to play a closer and more interesting game than any that has been seen here this year.

The Ames team has abandoned the idea of a Western and Southern trip on account of the crushing defeat which it received in Butte, and will leave for home this morning. Several of the players would like to remain in Butte, and some of them may return later on and locate here.

LETTER LIST.

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A YOUNG LEGISLATOR.

How Assemblyman-Elect North Won in Yolo County

Assemblyman-elect Arthur W. North of Yolo County is in town. He is a brother of Assemblyman Hart North of this city and graduated from the State University. Mr. North enjoys the distinction of being the youngest man ever returned to the Legislature of California. He has only just turned his 22d year, but has been prominent for quite a while past, one of his exploits being his managing of the University track team on its successful trip East. Mr. North is a Republican, and as Yolo County is strongly Democratic he had a hard fight to encounter. As a matter of fact the county went 300 for Bryan, but Mr. North's personal popularity stood him in such good stead that he was elected by 542. He is the fourth Republican Assemblyman ever elected in Yolo County.

NOT THE SAME MAN.

P. Ferron Has Been Troubled by John Ferrin's Pranks

Editor Tribune—Sir: Some time ago a party by the name of John Ferrin was arrested for embezzling some money from the Connih Brothers, and my name being Ferron, I have been taken for the party above mentioned by a hundred people who did not know my initials.

I wish to say that my name is P. P. Ferron, and not John Ferrin. I wish you would kindly correct this matter, for it has been a great annoyance to me, and I have troubles of my own. Very respectfully.

P. P. FERRON.

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THE WEATHER.

WEATHER FORECASTS FOR THIRTY-SIX HOURS ENDING 5 P. M., PACIFIC TIME, TUESDAY.

Northern California: Fair this afternoon; increasing cloudiness and possibly rain in extreme northwestern portion tonight and in northern portion Tuesday; fair in southern portion; warmer; fresh southeasterly winds.

Southern California: Fair this afternoon, tonight and Tuesday; warmer; light easterly winds.

For San Francisco and vicinity: Fair this afternoon and tonight; increasing cloudiness Tuesday and possibly rain; warmer; fresh southeasterly wind.

ALEXANDER G. McADIE,
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MONDAY.....NOVEMBER 30, 1896.

Dr. Eward S. Holden, Director of the Lick Observatory, has received the Decoration of Knight of the Royal Order of the Dannebrog of Denmark. This ancient order was founded in A. D. 1219, as a mark of military distinction, but is conferred in the present case for service to science. Dr. Holden receives more honors from abroad than he does in the State where he is rendering such important service. Few men devoted to science have encountered more hostile criticism than Dr. Holden. Most of it has originated in California.

The Record states that there is a "doctor factory" in West Congress street, Chicago, which furnishes diplomas to order: "Dr. Rutland, however, with that enterprise which always characterizes a certain class of citizens, does not seem to think it necessary that a man should wait until 40 to become a physician, nor that a long and laborious course of study is requisite as long as diplomas can be manufactured so cheaply by the gross. The applicant at the "college" can secure his diploma while he waits, if his conscience happens to be as elastic as that of the head of the institution, and if he does not happen to have the price of the diploma by him it can be sent C. O. D." The leading medical colleges now require an attendance of three and four years before an honest diploma can be obtained. In Philadelphia the man who sold medical diplomas brought up in the penitentiary. The Chicago doctor ought to bring up in a similar place.

These interesting historic incidents are recalled about Cuba by the Boston Herald: In 1848 President Polk authorized the American Minister at Madrid to offer $100,000,000 for Cuba—a proposal which Spain regarded as a National indignity. Six years later came the seizure of the American steamer Black Warrior in the port of Havana, by order of the Spanish authorities, on the flimsy pretext that she was engaged in aid of a filibustering expedition. The American Minister at Madrid was instructed to demand redress in the form of indemnification to the owners of the vessel in the sum of $390,000. The Spanish authorities justified the outrage, and in the burst of popular indignation which followed proposals were renewed for the purchase of the island. As an incident to these, Secretary Marcy suggested to Minister Mason in Paris and Minister Soule at Madrid that they should hold a conference for the purpose of adopting measures to secure concert of action in aid of negotiations with Spain looking to the acquisition of the island.

The outcome of this meeting, held first at Ostend, and afterward at Aix-la-Chapelle, was one of the most original manifestoes of our diplomatic history. In this it was suggested that an effort should be made to purchase Cuba at a price not to exceed $120,000,000, and that the proposal should be laid before the Spanish Cortes, then about to assemble. The trio of ministers set forth the great advantages that would accrue to all parties concerned from the transfer of sovereignty, how the oppression of the Spanish authorities in Cuba would inevitably lead to insurrection, and they recommended in conclusion that in the event of absolute refusal of Spain to sell the island it would be proper to take it away from its "oppressors" by force. "We should," said the Ministers, "be justified by every law, human and divine, in wresting it from Spain if we possess the power." The Pierce Administration did nothing, and Minister Soule was so disgusted that he resigned his place as Minister to Spain.

The Coming of a Noted Man.

Every year the Philosophical Union of Berkeley, of which Professor Howison is the master spirit, secures a short course of lectures from some distinguished scholar and educator. This year Dr. William T. Harris, United States Commissioner of Education, will deliver a course of five or six lectures at Berkeley. Dr. Harris is the author of many books on educational subjects. He is recognized as one of the foremost men of the modern school of philosophy. It will be a great occasion for Berkeley. Professor Howison has made his own department of philosophy a leading one in the University, and he has at the same time spared no effort to interest the larger public in philosophical studies and investigation. Dr. Harris will speak one evening before the Berkeley Club. That meeting, however for lack of room, will be limited to members and a few guests.

New Methods of Voting.

What is known as the Australian ballot system, with certain modifications, has on the whole, been more satisfactory than any other method. It has the advantage of secrecy. Every lawful candidate has his name printed on the ballot. There is a complete classification by which every voter can know the political complexion of each candidate. This form of balloting insures a good degree of discrimination. The voter determines his choice of candidates alone; and when an election is honestly conducted, it is not possible for any one else to know the character of the ballot cast. This plan generally secures quiet and orderly elections.

One of the objections urged against the system is that an enormous blanket ballot must be provided. Another is that the counting of such ballots is necessarily very slow. A third objection is that voters under this system, make many mistakes. The method assumes that the voter will have such a degree of intelligence that he can not only read names, but can discriminate between one class of candidates and another. It is noted that the longer this method is in use the fewer are the mistakes made.

Public attention has recently been turned to the use of voting machines as a substitute for the Australian ballot system. It does not appear from reports made of the trial of these machines in several places at the recent election, that they gave entire satisfaction. In some instances they failed to make an accurate record of the votes. It appears from the testimony that no perfect voting machine has yet been invented to this date. But there is almost a certainity that a perfect voting machine will yet be produced.

The requisites are simplicity. No intricate machinery will answer the purpose. The machine must be so simple and accurate in its working that it cannot get out of order, and cannot fail to record every vote. This simplicity must include cheapness. There must also be as complete secrecy as is now insured by the Australian ballot system. Now while such a voting machine has not yet been provided, there is no good reason to suppose that it is beyond the ability of inventors to bring one to such perfection that it will meet all the demands for accuracy, safety, simplicity and economy. When the perfected machine appears it will slowly work its way into general use on its own merits, while no amount of writing up will ever induce the people to tolerate any voting machine about which there is a suspicion of any imperfection.

A Touch of Winter.

The delay of the overland mail today six to eight hours on account of "blizzards" and snow drifts beyond the Sierras, suggests that winter has come in earnest. It has come in California a little stronger accentuated than usual. Yesterday was a heavenly winter day—a clear sky and crisp atmosphere, with hardly a ripple on the bay. A cutting north wind prevailed for two or three days last week which sent the mercury down to near the freezing point. There have been a few white frosts, and the sharp atmosphere brings a slight shiver, especially to people who have never had the experience of having been dug out of a snow drift. There may have been ice in a few places, but none worthy of mention. With six inches of rain already and more to come, there will be a green Christmas.

The great Wire Nail Trust which covered the United States and Canada since June 1895, has collapsed. It included the nail factory in this city, which under the terms of the trust has been idle. The New York Tribune gives these particulars: "For this and kindred purposes the trust imposed a pool tax of $1.50 a keg on all the nails sold by its members and rebated to them the difference after the objects sought were accomplished. A fund of $1,500,000 was returned to members on the showing made four months ago, but since that time the trust's officials and committees have incurred liabilities of much more than this in their desperate fight to keep the trust going. These liabilities will have to be met by the individual mills composing the trust, and a long period of litigation is highly probable. The advance of 15 cents a keg ordered by the trust at its March meeting in this city was the last act which marked the trust's doom. This put the base price of nails at Pittsburg at $2.55, which, under the peculiar terms of its nail card, meant that the lowest figure at which any nails could be bought there was $3.05 a keg. This resulted in an immense curtailment of the demand, and in turn forced the trust to close up 90 per cent of its mills and throw its workmen out of employment in order to reduce the output to comply with consumers' needs. The entire sales of nails by the trust mills during July were but 30,000 kegs and in August but 25,000 kegs, though the output agreed upon those months was 60,000 and 80,000 kegs, respectively. The March output reached 950,000 kegs.

The installation of Dr. J. Minot Savage as associate pastor with Dr. Collyer of New York, was made a remarkable occasion by the number of celebrities brought together. Dr. Edward Everett Hale in the course of his sermon made some severe strictures on certain religious corporations: "If the duty of ministers was only to preach the Word of God, their work, he said, would be easy; but they were called upon to combat the retrogressive tendencies of "corporations of priests, pharisees and professors." As an instance of these tendencies he pointed to the practical rejection of the revised version of the Bible by the large societies and other sources of distribution of religious works. Depite the fact that the Convocation in England fifteen year ago found thousands of errors in the old versions of the Bible and expunged them, the bodies to which he alluded persisted in adhering to the Bible of James II. The only excuse that was offered by the Bible Society was that its charter said it must have the version "in common use," but this the preacher, in effect, characterized as mere prevarication, and that modern railways ought, on the same principle, still to run locomotives after the design of Stevenson's first effort. In emphatic tones he spoke of the "idolatry" of these corporations, in which they worshiped the past and turned their backs to the rising sun. "They despise the things that are before and turn back and worship the things that are behind."

The Winter Climate.

Whitelaw Reid, editor of the New York Tribune, spent the greater part of a year in Arizona, making his home at Prescott. He describes at some length, the climate as he found it at several points in Arizona. He gives that climate the preference to any he found in Egypt. He had the advantage of being within the limits of the United States, with telegraphs and rail roads within call. For people having pulmonary tendencies, probably Arizona furnishes one of the most favorable climates in the world. It is better than that of Florida or any of the West India Islands, or any found on the borders of the Mediterranean.

There are thousands of invalids who find both the winter and summer climate of California very satisfactory. They escape the extremes of heat and cold. There are some thousands in all who every winter leave the Eastern States for a milder climate. A large number of them come to California. San Francisco and Oakland have good winter climates. There is the additional advantage of good hotels and private boarding houses where every comfort can be obtained.

For an all round winter and summer climate, California has the best in the Union. The heats of Arizona and the cold of Colorado are two important exemptions. That cannot be otherwise than a good climate where the great crop of oranges both north and south of San Francisco is just ripening for the market; and plows are running in a thousand fields for the seeding of the great crop of wheat for the coming June harvest. Arizona a part of the year for pulmonary people; but California for people with good lungs, all the time.

The Future of Real Estate.

There can hardly be room for a doubt that real estate values have touched the lowest point of depression, and that with the beginning of the New Year, or soon thereafter there will be a gradual uplift of values in nearly all realty. There will be no sudden jumping up nor is it probable that there will be any thing like an old fashioned boom There will be a gradually increasing demand as a consequence of an increase of business confidence.

It is not probable that eligible real estate will be as low in the scale of prices for many years to come, if within the memory of the present generation. The sag has not been comparatively greater than in many other properties. Real estate has great staying power. It is all there for better of for worse. It is there in the long run, for the betterment of a majority of owners. Most people never lose confidence in real estate values. They believe that there is a good future.

The fluctuations of real estate values have probably been as great in Chicago as in any city in the Union. But the uplift always came, and the men who held on, or bought at low prices, nearly always made money. The experience of real estate men in Chicago only differs in degree from that in most other growing cities. After the depression, the quickened market and the gradual advance in prices. As much as this may be safely predicted for real property in this city of Oakland and in all the outlaying districts.

Clara Barton, President of the Red Cross Society which has done such a good work for the relief of Armenians, has just made a detailed report of the Armenian Relief Expedition that was sent out to Constantinople. She estimates that there are from 100,000 to 200,000 Armenians who are still destitute of shelter, raiment, fire, food, medicines, the comforts that tend to make human life tolerable, or any means of obtaining them save through the charitable beneficence of the world. These same estimates concur in the statement that without such outside support at least 50,000 of these persons will have died of starvation or perished through accumulated hardships before the first of May, 1897.

The work of enlarging the Erie Canal begins this winter after navigation ceases. Nine million dollars have been set apart for these improvements. Four thousand men will be given employment. The Erie Canal will be deepened to 9 feet. This addition of 2 feet to the present depth will admit boats 16 feet longer, with freight capacity enlarged one-half. It is probable that the seven locks at Lockport will be replaced with an elevator lock, lifting boats 62 feet to the higher level. The necessary rock blasting and dredging can be done to advantage in the course of the winter.

EVENTS OF THIS DATE.

A Daily Resume of History for Your Scrap Book.

On November 30th of the years mentioned occurred the following interesting events in the world's history:

HOLIDAYS.

Andrew, Sapor, Isaac, Mahanis, Abraham, Simeon, Marses.

BIRTHS.

1549—Sir Henry Savil, scholar.
1667—Jonathan Swift.
1809—Mark Lemon, dramatist.

DEATHS.

1608—William Gilbert, writer on magnetism.
1654—John Selden, author of "Table Talk."
1750—Maurice, Marshal Saxe.
1563—James Sheridan Knowles.
1874—William F. Havemeyer, Mayor of New York, aged 70.
1882—Gen. Daniel Tyler.
1885—Francis M. Bangs, eminent New York lawyer, Ocala, Fla.
1886—Joseph Melin, painter, Paris, 71.
1894—Joseph E. Brown, ex-Governor of Georgia.

OTHER EVENTS.

1016—Edmond Ironside, colleague of King Canute, assassinated.
1700—Battle of Narva, Russia.
1729—Massacre of the French (700) at Natchez, by the Indians.
1782—Preliminary treaty of peace between America and England.
1797—Anti-slavery petition presented to Congress by Quakers of Philadelphia.
1807—Portuguese Court emigrated to Brazil.
1853—Russians destroyed the Turkish fleet at Sinope, Asia Minor.
1864—Battle of Franklin, Tenn.
1874—Kalakaua, King of the Hawaiian Islands, landed at San Francisco.
1883—Loss of the steamer "Manistee" on Lake Superior; 17 lives lost.
1885—The business portion of Savannah, N. Y., destroyed by fire.
1886—John Dillon arrested in Dublin for treason.
1888—Burning of mine at Calumet, Mich., eight miners killed.
1891—Mayor Harry White of Seattle, Wash., resigned his office.

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1892—Nicaragua Canal Convention opened in New Orleans, La.
1894—The United Evangelical denomination organized.
1895—H. H. Holmes sentenced to death at Philadelphia for murder of B. F. Pietzel.

GOWN FOR GRANDMA.

A Pretty Design Which Will Suit the Tastes of an Elderly Lady.

It is often a puzzle to know what kind of a dress the dear old grandma or the maiden aunt who sits at our fireside should wear. As a rule, she loves pretty colors as well as any. She loves ribbons and laces, yet before her is always the fear that she will dress too young.

Alpaca is the prettiest material for an old lady. Purple, gray, black and a soft brown are the best colors. If dear old grandma is short and stout, the dress would best be made with a very full skirt and a long, pointed basque. The sleeves should be scant and plain.

The old lady who is tall and thin may be attired much more prettily. Her skirt should be rather scant, and may have an embroidered front panel, or one of some fancy material. The bodice is tight fitting and ends about three inches below the waist in a point front and back. A A simulated yoke is formed by means of a piece of ribbon fastened in a point at the middle of the back and traced over the shoulders to a point in front. Here it ends in a large bow of black silk, with long ends edged with lace. This bow prettily conceals the outlines of the figure, and a flounce of alpaca over the sleeves adds width to the shoulders.

The wrists are finished with a flounce of fine lace, perhaps a piece that grandma has treasured for years.

The throat should be finished with a stiff bow of silk, separately finished and hooked to the dress. Then, if too warm, it may be removed, revealing a high turn-over collar.

NOTES AND EXCERPTS.

The Galveston News gives a history of the Culberson letter to the effect that Mr. Culberson wrote to Prince Bismarck and put a two cent stamp on the letter. The Prince would not take it out of the Postoffice, and it was sent back marked "refused." Then Mr. Culberson put a five cent stamp on the letter and received a reply. The person who tells the story draws this moral from it: "Mr. Culberson, a free silver man, writes a letter to a German bimetallist and puts half the required amount of postage on the envelope. The letter is refused because there is not enough postage on it. Yet, in the face of this, Mr. Culberson and his friends expect to make a dollar out of 53 cents' worth of silver, and expect the people of foreign nations to take it. See the point?"

Nicholas II is the fourth Czar of Russia to visit France, but none of them came under more attractive conditions nor was any one of them welcomed more enthusiastically. Peter the Great went to Paris in 1718 and astonished the Parisians by his boorishness. Alexander I was there just before the first abdication of Napoleon, and again after the battle of Waterloo, and his visits were not particularly pleasing to the French, even though his education had been thoroughly French. Alexander II went to Paris twenty-nine years ago, and his reception was a royal one. Now Nicholas II is there. He comes as the great friend of France, as the ruler of an allied nation. It is indeed a strange combination, this one of France and Russia, and France is doing her best to show how she welcomes it. It will be instructive and most interesting to observe the results of the visit.—Boston Herald.

"There can no longer be any question," writes a "down East" correspondent, "that the French are in Maine to stay." Their numbers are placed at about 55,000, half of whom are congregated in the manufacturing cities of Biddeford, Saco, Lewiston, Auburn, Waterville and Brunswick. When they arrive from Canada they are nearly always poor and unskilled, but they are quick to learn and are generally industrious enough to be valuable to their employers. Between 3,000 and 4,000 are owners of real estate, with property valued at something like $2,500,000.

Ex-Senator Sawyer of Wisconsin had both of his daughters trained to kitchen work as though he was a poor man. After serving a party of his friends to an excellent Thanksgiving dinner, and when the dessert was served, each of the daughters found under her plate a check for $25,000.

and wears aristocratic clothes.

Professor Goldwin Smith wrote an article on the American crisis, of a distinctly pessimistic sort, two weeks before our election. The professor gazed out at the struggles going on in these States with a mind sickled o'er with the pale cast of thought. Among the States which he placed in the doubtful column were California, Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, West Virginia, Minnesota and Maryland. All of which goes to show that hindsight is better than foresight.—New York Evening Sun.

HUMOROUS.

"Now, Johnny, what is the meaning of the word 'hypocrisy?'" asked a Texas Sunday School teacher of her favorite pupil, Jonnie Chaffie.

"I can't explain what it is, but I know just the same."

"Give me an example of hypocrisy."

"When a fellow says he loves the Sunday school teacher—that's hypocrisy."—Texas Siftings.

"She was an intensely romantic girl. Her soul was ever occupied with yearnings for the unattainable.

"Why, she hadn't been in the railway car ten minutes before she wanted the window opened."—Detroit Tribune.

It is really a wise man who so manages matters that it is his father who does the work of accumulating a fortune, and leaves himself free, as to time and effort, to disseminate the money.—Boston Transcript.

Master (addressing his Irish manservant)—Terrence, I'm going into the country to stay at my mother's place. If Mr. Dubley calls, tell him that I'll be back on Tuesday.

Terrence—Begorra, I will, sir! And (after a pause) what will I be after saying to him if he doesn't call, sor?—London Tit-Bits.

She was in a merry mood when her husband came home that evening.

"You have often said, dear," she remarked affectionately, "that women haven't any sense of humor."

"They haven't."

"You don't give us the credit we deserve. I'll admit that my sense of humor is not very great. But any faculty can be developed with cultivation."

"Have you been cultivating your sense of humor?"

"Yes."

"How did you go about it?"

"Do you remember that article in the paper last which you laughed so heartily last night?"

"No. I don't undertake to remember everything that amuses me."

"Well, I got it and read it. It was about how a woman goes out and buys bargains all day long and surprises her husband with bills for bonnets and makes him get her a sealskin sacque whether he wants to or not."

"Yes; I recall it now. So you have been cultivating your sense of humor by reading that?"

"Oh, I didn't stop with simply reading it."

"What—what did you do?" he inquired in a voice that was hoarse with apprehension.

"I went out this afternoon and bought bargains, just as the woman in the article did, and here's the bill for the bonnet. All that is needed now to make the joke complete is for me to tease you for a sealskin sacque. And, don't you know, dear, I think it's all too delightfully funny for anything."—From the Detroit Free Press.

"The Bryan movement might have more dignity if it had been supported by a single great State east of the Mississippi and north of the Ohio," says the Laurens (S. C.) Appeal. "The outcome indicates a reflected light—the little Utahs, Idahoes and Wyomings—as little moons, receiving their light from the mighty orbs manipulated by Tillman, Evans, Watson and Morgan, and faintly shed through the mists of the mighty Mississippi. A verdict like this rendered by the strongest nation morally, and in fact physically, ends a matter. There is no appeal."

Trunks Packed to Order.

Things will soon be so ordered that women need never do anything at any time for any purpose they don't choose to do. They have now the perambulating manicure, the floating darner and duster, the woman who comes to remodel and furnish over and the woman who calls each day to water the house plants and nip off the dead leaves; the curler who curls the children's bangs and the reader who keeps the mother informed on politics and brings her a ready made opinion about the latest novel. Now comes the trunk packer.

"When do you start?" is asked of a traveler.

"At 6; I have three-quarters of an hour yet," leisurely consulting her watch.

"But your packing; will you have time?" is the anxious inquiry.

"Plenty. I have an expert packer and will have nothing to do when I go upstairs but to put on my hat and coat."

The successful trunk packer must be a woman of no mean order of intelligence. She must be able to divine the most suitable places for articles, large and small, and possess discrimination enough to know just what to leave out and what to put in of her employer's effects. She must have the knack of folding sleeves so that they won't crush and of manipulating voluminous skirts in a satisfactory fashion. She must be certain not to put a chiffon waist under a cloth jacket or fold a velvet bodice so that its beaded trimming will press into the fabric and mar its freshness. Above all, she must possess a strong back, for the much-talked-of adjustable trunk brought out last year, with folded-under legs to elevate it for convenience, has proved a failure. The folded-under legs made it heavy and nobody would have it.—From the Chicago Chronicle.

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HE WANTS A WIFE.

A Tramp Who Has a New Thing for Which He Begs.

He Is Frightened From a Home by a Lady's Clever Ruse.

There is a new tramp in town who has a new thing on the list of articles for which he begs. He wants a wife and has chosen the vicinity of Market street for his field of operations.

Saturday morning he made his strange request at a Filbert street residence. The servant girl had just left for the grocery to buy a yeast cake and a dozen eggs and the lady of the house was alone.

She happened to be in the kitchen when there was a knock at the back door, and thinking it was the butcher boy, she said "come in." The new tramp entered. He closed the door behind him to shut out the cold and looked at the lady.

"Well, what do you want?" she asked.

The visitor rubbed his hands by the fire and slowly replied, "any old thing." I want shoes, a shirt, a coat, something to eat, and I want a wife."

Mildly stated, the lady was frightened. The family revolver was in the second bureau drawer up stairs, and there was not a person in the house to save her perhaps from an unwilling matrimonial alliance. She had her presence of mind, however, and as coolly as possible she asked the caller how he expected to support a better half, at the same time opening the door leading to the back stairs. The tramp's reply was interrupted by the lady's call to a pretended person. "Tell your papa to come down and get his hot water for shaving, Allie," she said.

The tramp said nothing, but opened the door and quietly stole away.

COUNTY TAXES.

The First Instalment Becomes Delinquent Next Monday.

County Tax Collector Barber was as busy as ever this morning piling away the stacks of coin which his deputies were receiving for county taxes. The amount thus far collected by him of the first installment of taxes is $554,378. This installment of taxes will become delinquent at 6 o clock tonight.

AS OTHERS SEE US.

The Oakland thieves who enter houses and carry away the furniture are not quite up to the New York work yet. In that progressive city the light-fingered gentry make a clean job by taking up the carpets and carting them away also. We are pleased to note that Alameda has not yet arrived at this progressive work.—Alameda Encinal.

The young Oakland lady who is heartbroken because of the frailty and perfidy of the young man she was engaged to marry, should cheer up and rejoice that she should have discovered his true character before marriage.—Los Angeles Express.

A Chance for Teachers

Superintendent of Schools McChymonds is today mailing to the teachers of the department a notification that the railroad company will give a two-thirds rebate to such of them as attend the annual meeting of the California State Teachers' Association, to be held in San Jose, commencing December 28th. Special rates have also been made with the hotels.

If you buy starch and ammonia in the same can with your baking powder you needn't be so careful about keeping it dry. Choose between adulteration with carelessness and purity with a little prudence. Choose between others and **Trophy**

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MUSICAL MATTERS.

A Charming Lot of Concerts Being Given in Oakland.

MANY MORE ON THE LIST.

The Goodsell Musicale is to Occur This Evening.

ARTISTS ARE ALL BUSY.

Good Numbers Given by the Friday Morning Club.

There has been very little to chronicle in the musical world so far as Oakland is concerned, during the past week. This evening the postponed concert will be given by the Misses Goodsell in Reed Music Hall, on Thirteenth and Harrison streets, and it promises to be of more than ordinary interest.

Both young ladies are favorites in the musical and social circles, and the attendance should be large. They will be assisted by some of the best talent, though they could easily give a full entertainment by themselves.

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Alex T. Stewart has refused the offer lately made him to take charge of the music in the Centenary Methodist Church of Chicago, Rev. A. C. Hirst, pastor, and which was announced in the musical column of the Tribune at the time. Mr. Stewart could have had the position if he would have agreed to a permanent residence in Chicago, which he was not yet ready to do, Oakland ties being too strong. He will spend the season in hard musical study, largely consisting of a study of the orchestral conducting methods of Theodore Thomas and chorus work with W. L. Tomlins. Violin, theory and vocal studies, with the best instructors, will also be pursued. Mr. Stewart expects to return to Oakland in time for the opening of next year's musical season.

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It was a short but excellent programme which was presented before the Friday Morning Club last week. Miss Caroline Little, who was in unusually good voice, sang a couple of little love songs charmingly, "Thine" and "I Ask Thee Not." Miss Mabel Cohen of Alameda gave two piano solos, Scarletti's "Siciliano" and "Tempo di Ballo." Miss Margie Gaskill sang very sweetly Rubenstein's "Since First I Met Thee."

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There was some very good music at the poster show in Ebell Hall the other evening although the noise and talking of the crowd certainly taxed the vocalists' patience and voices. Rickard was in excellent voice and sang splendidly. He was encored twice and was most generous in his responses.

The noise certainly detracted a little from Miss Gretchen Bernett's rendition. Her sweet rich tones showed that she was making an effort to be heard. In her encore, Tosti's "Could I," the audience was quieter and her singing was as charming and richly sympathetic as ever.

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Honors were divided between Miss Sofia Newland and Miss Esther Needham at the musicale in Masonic Hall Thursday evening. Their solos were exquisite, and both won encores. The duo given by the two young ladies fully deserved the warm applause it won. Their voices blended perfectly, and were true and pure in tone. It was a delightful selection, and the encore was warmly given.

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W. J. McCoy of Santa Barbara has assumed the leadership of the First Congregational Church Orchestra. He hails from Santa Barbara with the best of recommendations, and will prove an important addition to the orchestra.

The regular rehearsals will be resumed Tuesday evenings, and already the orchestra is figuring on a concert to be given soon.

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Alfred Wilkie's opera, "Heroes of '76," is to receive an elaborate production at the California Theater on Friday evening next. It is given under the auspices of a large number of patriotic American societies in conjunction with the French colony of San Francisco.

Alfred Wilkie assumes the role of "Roger, the gallant and heroic," while his son, Master Fred Wilkie, takes the part of "The Little Corporal." A large chorus will also assist.

As the title indicates, the opera deals with the military happenings of Continental times. The closing numbers comprise solos and choruses of rejoicing at the happy result of the long conflict for independence, and a grand tableau of General Washington and General Lafayette, with personations of America, Victory and Peace, concluding with the singing of "America" by principals, chorus and audience.

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On Thursday night, December 3d, at the Macdonough Theater, we are to make the acquaintance of Mme. Bloomfield-Zeisler, a pianist who has already had a reputation everywhere else. Mme. Bloomfield-Zeisler has won some extraordinary praise. The New York Tribune says of her: "She is an artist whose career it has been a pleasure to watch, for it has been one of steady growth on lines which are wholly sound and freed from all of the adventitious or sensational. Her triumphs in Germany were not only genuine, but so brilliant as to lift her into the front rank of concert giving piano forte players into a land peculiarly rich in pianists of both sexes. Aggressive virtuosi who were the bodyguard of Liszt in his last years, professors from the conservatories of the Fatherland and brilliant fledglings from Vienna and Paris vied with the little woman from Chicago, but she has maintained herself against them all and fairly divided some of the highest honors of the concert room only with Paderewski and the musical woman, also from America, Mme. Carreno."

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Ellen Beach Yaw, who appears shortly at the Macdonough Theater, has one of the most wonderful voices on record. The most remarkable point about Yaw's singing is that she sings in her lower register with the breadth of a contralto, it is full of sympathy and the quality is most excellent. She trills in her high register so clearly and with such purity of tone that one listens breathlessly.

From her infancy Miss Ellen Beach Yaw evinced a decided taste for music, and at four years of age she was known to her family and friends by the sobriquet of "Prima Donna." No special attention was given to her voice until she was six years of age, when a quartette of musicians, hearing of little "Ellen Yaw," asked and were granted permission to teach her the then popular song, "Way Down in Maine." In an old fashioned sunbonnet and gingham dress she made her first bow to the public and electrified her audience.

Now she outclasses Patti in both range and compass, while some musical critics are of the opinion that she does equally as well in execution.

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Monday Italo Campanini, the great tenor, died at his home near Parma. Italo Campanini was one of the greatest tenors of the century. He sang in every country in Christendom, and at the zenith of his career created a furor equaled by but few of the great artists. In addition to a magnificent natural voice he enjoyed the advantage of a training that made him a master of vocalization. There was probably no singer known who better understood the methods of tone production or who employed them with better results. Even when with advanced years his voice lost that sweetness and purity which had won plaudits from great audiences, Campanini still commanded the admiration of his listeners by the artistic handling of his voice.

Signor Campanini made several tours in America appearing in nearly all the principal Eastern cities, meeting with universal success. He visited San Francisco several years ago, appearing in concert at the Grand Opera House. Although then possessing but the echo of the voice which had made his name famous the world over, he had still the power to thrill lovers of music.

A number of years ago Campanini purchased an estate near Parma, Italy, not far from that of the great composer Verdi, and it was there that the great tenor's life passed. THE TENOR.

MUSICAL WORSHIP.

Excellent Services Being Given at St. Paul's.

The evening services at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Harrison and Fourteenth streets, are one of the attractions of devotional service in this city. There is no form of worship more impressive than that which has for a basis choice classical music. Music is the highest form of worship, it touches the heart when other forms fail to make an impression. Nature is full of music, from the sweet, sighing zephyrs which murmur plaintive minor strains among the pines, or coily with Aeolian harp strings of flowering shrubbery and trailing vines, to the deep toned organ notes of old ocean and the battle hymns of the storm. Music is nature's worship, and without it worship is cold and soulless.

The vested choir of St. Paul's, reinforced by the sweet voices of thirteen young ladies, under the masterly direction of Prof. Bartlett, together with the able and interesting discourses of the rector, Rev. Robt. Ritchie, has given new life to the evening services of the church, attracting large audiences, especially the young people of the city. These musical and intellectual religious treats are permanent features of the church service.

The Sunday School of the church has also adopted music as one of its chief attractions and with success. B.

CLEVER SINGERS.

Mrs. Eva Wren's Concert Was a Very Flattering Success.

The concert given by Mrs. Eva Wren in Centennial Church was a success of which Mrs. Wren may justly be proud, as the seating capacity of the church was taxed to its utmost and the audience unusually appreciative.

Miss Ethel Fleming opened the programme by a very effective rendition of Chopin's "Grande Valse, op. 42." Miss Retena Owens is a dramatic reader new to Oakland audiences, her manner is pleasing and her voice agreeable. The feature of the evening was the violin playing of Mr. Llewellyn Hughes, who displayed a mastery over his instrument and a sympathy with the composer that promise well for his future. The whistling of Miss Mary E. Gray was very artistic and greatly enjoyed. Miss Esther Needham was in excellent voice and the rich tones of her deep contralto were heard to advantage in the "Cradle Song," by Vannah and the encore, "Celeste."

Messrs. H. A. Melvin and D. M. Lawrence, who are always prime favorites, sang their solos in their usual happy manner, and the Mendelssohn Quartette, composed of D. M. Lawrence, E. E. Brangs, H. H. Lawrence and H. A. Melvin, was especially enjoyable as the voices blend in such perfect harmony.

Mrs. Wren has seldom sang better, and her rich voice was heard to especial advantage in the "Song of the Dove," by Von Suppe, given with a violin obligato by Mr. Hughes. The able accompanists were Miss Mabel Hussey, Mrs. D. M. Lawrence and William B. King.

CATHOLIC CHAT.

Cadets of St. Patrick's Parish to Have a Meeting.

Company F, Cadets of St. Patrick's parish, has become attached to the League of the Cross and the members have determined to secure uniforms and equipments for themselves as soon as possible. For this purpose a Committee on Ways and Means was recently appointed for the purpose of deciding on a plan of action. This Committee consists of Captain Hynes, Lieutenant Higgins, First Sergeant Flynn and Privates Drake, Sheehan, Long and McQuaid. These members at once set about securing the services of Rev. P. C. Yorke for a lecture and were successful in their efforts. Germania Hall, Webster street, between Sixth and Seventh streets, Oakland, has been secured for the occasion and the lecture will take place on Wednesday evening, December 9th. Father Yorke has not yet selected a subject for his remarks, but the address will undoubtedly be an interesting one and well worth attending.

A grand concert will be given at Reeds' Hall, Ebell Building, Oakland, next Friday evening in aid of the uniform fund of the League of the Cross Cadets, connected with the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Oakland. Rev. Father Browne, who has charge of the affair, has engaged some of the very best talent from Oakland and San Francisco to participate. The price of admission has been placed at twenty-five cents.

The regular quarterly rally of the St. Francis de Sales Oakland Branch of the League of the Cross is to be held in the hall connected with St. Francis' Church on Tuesday evening, December 8th. An interesting programme will be presented.

DALTON'S RETURN.

He Will Start in a Few Days for the Pacific Coast.

County Assessor Henry Dalton is still in New York. When last heard from, he wrote to the effect that he would leave that place with his uncle for this city on the 21st inst. If he had left on that date, he would have arrived here before this. It is expected now, if his uncle, who is sick, is able to make the journey, that the trip will be undertaken on Monday next.

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EITHER MARS OR VENUS.

Professor Burckhalter Tells of the "Airship's" Light.

HE LAUGHS AT THE TALES.

The Astronomers, He Said, Have Not Noted Anything Unusual.

WHAT THE WATCHERS SAW.

He Says the Present Theories Are All Pure Fakes.

There is one confirmed skeptic in regard to the airship. He is Professor Burckhalter of the Chabot Observatory. His time has been taken up lately by persons who are anxious to view the aerial machine through the telescope. Many persons have advanced the theory that the airship is a clever advertising dodge of some gas company that is trying to boom a new kind of illuminating gas. Professor Burckhalter laughs at this theory as well as others.

"If there were any airship I would turn the telescope on it, you may be sure," said Prof. Burckhalter today. "What people have been taking for the brilliant electric light of an airship is nothing more or less than one of the two planets, Mars or Venus. People want to believe in the airship, and it is astonishing the way they deceive themselves. Venus is as brilliant as an arc light and does move very slowly through the heavens. Anyone who pays a little attention to the heavens might be deceived into believing it an electric light gleaming through the clouds. Last Saturday night when there was such excitement over the airship, what people were looking at was the planet Mars, which appeared very brilliant that evening.

The theories in regard to the airship are pure imagination. If there were any strange objects in the heavens, we would certainly know of it, and all these theories are, I believe, pure fakes."

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"The Waifs of New York" is at the Macdonough Tonight.

"The White Squadron" is Staged at the Oakland Theater.

In this day of vaudeville, an attraction that can boast of five exceedingly strong specialties in connection with a melodrama that is known from one end of the country to the other is bound to demand attention from the theater-going public. Such an attraction is Katie Emmett in "The Waifs of New York," which appears at the Macdonough this evening and Tuesday night.

Among the well known specialty artists in the company are Harry Weston, one of the best German dialect comedians in the country; Jenny Engel, one of Tony Pastor's favorite cards; D'Arville Sisters, from the Alhambra, London; Baby Isabelle, the youngest child on the stage, being only four years old, and merry Katie Emmett in her latest budget of songs.

Miss Emmett's impersonation of Willie Rufus, a New York newsboy, is said to be a unique and distinct characterization, and one that places her at the head of her profession in this line of work. Her performance is so natural and winning that even the boys of the gallery come to look upon Miss Emmett as their particular friend and champion. Recently in Detroit the Newsboys' Band connected with the Daily News, serenaded Miss Emmett at the Cadallac Hotel, and then attended the performance in a body, and their enthusiasm was something wonderful to see. The boys of the Waifs' Mission at Chicago are indebted to Miss Emmett for many an enjoyable evening and substantial dinner, and invariably speak of her as "Our Katie," a title that Miss Emmett is justly proud of.

COMING ATTRACTIONS.

Fanny Bloomfield-Zeisler's piano recital at the Macdonough Theater next Thursday evening will be a red letter event in art circles. She is acknowledged to be one of the greatest performers in the world, and has attracted the attention of the whole musical world. The sale of seats opened this morning with a big rush. Prices range from 25 cents to $1.50.

Matt Grau, the opera manager, is here, making arrangements for the presentation at an early date of his operatic company. It numbers fifty stars and is the finest organization of its kind in America.

THE OAKLAND.

"The White Squadron" is the attraction at the Oakland Theater this evening, and the A. Y. Pearson company is prepared to give a very elaborate production of the thrilling naval drama. John Pierson, who by the way, is not related to the manager of the company, interprets the title role. He is a very clever actor, who has won many honors in the East and on the coast. The other participants in the cast comprise all new faces and include a number of excellent people who played most acceptable parts in "The Land of the Midnight Sun."

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Among the arrivals on the Australia at Honolulu November 17th was Miss Elsa Goess of Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jacobs of 963 Oak street, Oakland, are entertaining Mrs. Virgil Dillon and Miss Golden of St. Louis, Mr., during the holidays.

Rev. E. E. Hamand has returned from a visit to Southern California.

Miss Dora Craig has gone to Los Gatos where she will spend the winter.

Miss Eva Peabody is visiting Miss Edna Moody at Collinsville.

Roger Pries has returned from San Luis Obispo.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pope of San Francisco were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Beach for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Prosser gave a Thanksgiving dinner party to a few friends. Prominent among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. Hassard.

Miss Lucy Cummings, who is spending a few weeks in Sacramento, was tendered a very pleasant party by her friends of that place at the home of Mrs. Weymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Longley, parents of Mrs. Whitaker, Mr. John Longley and Miss Clara Dale of Mountain View, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Longley and daughter, little Miss Mabel, of San Francisco, were the guests of Rev. and Mrs. Robert Whitaker during this week.

Miss Addie Manse of Seventeenth avenue will leave for Ada, Ohio, the first part of next week to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. John Rautze.

Mrs. T. B. Coghill gave a violet luncheon last week in honor of Mrs. Le Grande Tibbetts. Among the guests were Mrs. Folger, Mrs. Ralston, Mrs. L. Kempff, Mrs. Edwin Goodall, Mrs. H. M. A. Miller. Mrs. Tibbetts leaves for the East early in December.

Mrs. Henrietta E. Kellogg and John B. Foster were married Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. and Mrs. John Thompson.

Miss Josephine W. Brown and Francis M. Cerini were married at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Williams, 1803 Market street, Thursday evening. The decorations were very elaborate. The bride was attended by Miss Elsie Thomas and Miss Alice Williams. William Cerini officiated as best man. The bride is the only daughter of James E. Brown of Salem, Oregon. After a short wedding tour, Mr. and Mrs. Cerini will make their home in this city.

Rev. C. H. Hobart was the officiating clergyman at the wedding of Miss Gertrude M. Davis and Joseph A. Peters Wednesday evening. The ceremony was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, 633 Fourteenth street. Miss Harriet Davis was maid of honor and Dr. F. C. Newton of San Francisco was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Peters will make their home in San Francisco.

Miss Beulah Hook was given a very pleasant surprise party Friday evening at the home of her parents, 531 Simpson avenue. Those present were Anna Franck, Maggie Franck, Grace Monroe, Helen Watkins, Willie Sill, Clara Carr, Anna Clark, Hazel Day, Rowena Porterfield, Elsie Noyes, Mary Noyes, Rachel Ward, Hazel Clark and Jennie Gage, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Carr, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Gilbert, Herbert Cramer, Willie Rouse, Fred Ward, Fred Campbell, Lloyd Kent, Folsom Clark, Wilfred McCutcheon, H. Hook, Edgar Sanborn, Willie Kruckle, Chester Noyes, Henry Carr.

The Misses Jennie and Edith White gave a pink luncheon at their home last Tuesday. Among those present were: Misses Alice Tickhardt, Blanche Micholsen, Kate E. Truett, May Winthrop, Susie Sheldon, Jennie Johnson, Lettie Fredrickson, Annie Moore, Susie Morse, Florence Sands, Belle Townsend and Messrs. John English, Robert Anthony, Sam Kaiser, H. Baxter, Gus Elfandahl, Martin Oliver, E. Kesseler, Nathan Mills and Frank Darling.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chester of 1176 East Twenty-first street entertained a party of friends at dinner Thanksgiving Day. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. August Groff, Mr. and Mrs. William Tate, Dr. and Mrs. John W. Ellis, Mrs. Hornick, Miss Greer, Miss Kate Hall, Miss Schmidt, Miss Haywood, Miss Ada Haywood, Mrs. M. F. Ruggles, Ed Chester, Mr. and Mrs. A. Mitchell and Mr. Warful.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Edwards celebrated their golden wedding anniversary yesterday at their home, 1956 Thirtieth street. The reception was informal, and was attended by many friends of the old couple. Edwards is 75 years of age, and his wife is but two years his junior. They were both born at Dolgny, a village seven miles from Aberystwith, and lived there through their childhood days. Mrs. Edwards was Miss Mary Jones, and it was at Aberdare, Glamorganshire, that the marriage took place on November 29, 1846. The couple spent six years in Wales, and in 1853 came to the United States. They settled first in Iowa, and for ten years made it their home. In 1863 they moved to Austin, Nev., and Edwards became interested in mining. They made the Sagebrush State their home until eight years ago, when they came to Oakland to reside. Edwards engaged in business for a couple of years, but four years ago purchased the Thirtieth street cottage, where he expects to end his days. Twelve children, seven girls and five boys, blessed the union, and all except one of the girls survive. The sons are all residents of Nevada, and most of them are engaged in mining.

Hon. J. R. McCoy, President of the Pitcairn Island, arrived in Oakland on the brig Pitcairn. He is the ruler of the small island with its 130 subjects, who are all Adventists. President McCoy is Chief Executive and Judge, and has a Parliament of seven men. He has been the ruler for a number of years, and is highly esteemed by his subjects. The Adventists of this city have given President McCoy a reception since his arrival in this city.

The Week's Failures.

The Bradstreet Mercantile Agency reports seventeen failures for the Pacific Coast States and Territories for the week ending Saturday, as compared with thirteen for the previous week and thirty-two for the corresponding week of 1895. The failures are divided among the trades as follows: Two commission, one butcher, two fruit growers, one general store, one grocer, one lumber, one notions, one oils, one jewelery, three saloons, two hotels, one drugs.

Recreant.

He ran down the gang plank and kissed her.

"Henry," she exclaimed, "where is the poodle?"

"Dearest," he said, "it fell overboard."

She wrung her hands.

"Why did the steamer not stop to rescue it?"

"They only stop to save human life," he explained.

"Then, Henry, why didn't you jump overboard?"—Life.

Also St. Louis, Chicago, Montreal, San Francisco, Portland, Oregon.

Christian Endeavor Work.

The Alameda County Christian Endeavor Union will meet next Monday evening at 8 P. M., in the Y. M. C. A. Building. This meeting was postponed for two weeks, on account of the reception to Secretary Baer, which occurred on the night of the regular meeting.

The Oakland City Christian Endeavor Union held its meeting last Monday evening, and in spite of the rain a great deal was done. The reports of the committee were received, and the committee on a Waifs' Home was instructed to solicit subscriptions to carry on the work and to find suitable quarters and report at the next meeting for organization.

The Associated Charities asked that the Oakland Endeavorers assist in the distribution of Thanksgiving cheer to the worthy poor, and a committee was appointed, consisting of Miss Clift, Mr. Gilbert and Mr. Wall, to collect the necessary articles and to assist in the good work.

Reports of the Thanksgiving distribution show that about 100 families were provided with groceries to last a week.

The topic for Sunday was, "How to Strengthen Our Faith in Christianity."

In the talk on the topic for the "Golden Rule" Arthur W. Kelly tells us that "Christianity rests at last on historical facts. It's own history, too," he asserts, "is one of the proofs of its truth. By their fruits systems, as well as men, are known. The history of heathenism is its own judgment. There are blots on the chronicles of the church, but they are not the outgrowth of the church's principles. Islam is known by the sword, the Christian by his love to his fellows.

"Christian faith can no more be rightly studied from without than a pictured window can be judged from outside. It is the heart and not the head that finds the truth. If we would strengthen our faith, we must do it through experience. If we act on the faith we have, we shall gain more. If we would know, we must do. Personal acceptance of Christ is the way to know him; doing his work with him is the surest way of strengthening faith in him."

At the Australian Convention, recently held in Sydney, the Rev. Silas Mead was appointed delegate from the Australia Christian Endeavor Union to the '97 San Francisco Convention.

Delegates from other places are also making arrangements with their transportation managers to come here at that time.

During the past year, English Endeavorers have added to the national register about 1,000 new societies, the last number on the list being 3,593. These societies contain 159,881 Endeavorers. For the larger denominations, the numbers of societies are the following: Baptist, 947; Congregational, 933; Presbyterian, 311; Episcopal, 19; Wesleyan, 82; Primitive Methodist, 206; United Methodist Free Church, 22; Methodist New Connection, 175; Bible Christian, 61; Friends, 19; Moravians, 16.

A cheering fact is that, though only 2,936 societies reported on the matter, from these societies 9,652 Endeavorers have joined the church during the past year.

In speaking of the Missionary Roll of Honor, Secretary Baer said, "Upon it are the names of over 5,869 Young People's Societies and 2,331 Junior Societies, from thirty-five States, seven Territories, seven provinces, four foreign lands. These societies have given $154,022.68 through their own denominational boards to the cause of foreign and home missions. In addition to this amount, which has been given by those 8,200 societies that we have enrolled upon the roll of honor, we find that $206,150.21 has been given by these same societies for Christ and the church in other ways, making a total of $360,172.89, the largest amounts given by any one society being $1,107.01, by the Clarendon Street Baptist Society of Boston, and a little over $1,060 by the Calvary Presbyterian Society of Buffalo, N. Y.

"Let me make it plain that the $154,022.68 given directly to the Mission Boards by the eight thousand societies, and their gifts of $206,150.21 for other benevolences, represent only the record of the societies that have asked to be enrolled upon the 'missionary roll of honor'."

Christmas is near, and you Endeavorers are wondering what you can give to your friends for Christmas presents. A very inexpensive present would be the "Golden Rule." From now until July 8, 1897, the date of the convention, it is only 50 cents. This would not only be a good gift, but would serve also to prepare one's friend for the convention.

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9:37 a	New Orleans Express, Raymond (for Yosemite), Fresno, Santa Barbara and Los Angeles, El Paso, New Orleans and the East	4:00 p
9:37 a	Martinez and Stockton	10:44 a
9:37 a	Vallejo	6:45 p
†2:01 p	Port Costa and way stations	7:14 p
4:34 p	Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, El Verano, Santa Rosa, Martinez and San Ramon	8:45 a
4:38 p	Benicia, Vacaville, Woodland, Knight's Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento	11:14 a
6:10 p	Los Angeles Express, Stockton, Fresno, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara and Los Angeles	9:40 a
6:10 p	Santa Fe Route, Atlantic Express for Mojave and East	9:40 a
6:40 p	European Mail, Ogden and East	9:13 a
‡7:36 p	Vallejo	‡7:14 p
7:36 p	Oregon Express, Sacramento, Marysville, Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and East	10:44 a
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*9:10 a	Peters and Milton	*6:39 p
.....	Niles, San Jose and Livermore	6:39 p
5:10 p	Niles, San Jose and Livermore	8:07 a
6:40 p	Haywards, Niles and San Jose	7:07 a

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HOW IT ALL HAPPENED.

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That the big lumber trust, which nearly succeeded in tying up all the redwood output of the State is broken is due largely to the action of four Oakland firms which succeeded, not only in holding out against the wealthy combine, but in taking away much of the business.

It was but a short time ago that the entering wedge was lodged that has broken the whole scheme. At that time the Oakland firms which were boycotted by the big dealers, managed to find a somewhat obscure company from which to buy, and the opportunity was immediately improved.

At the oustart it was aimed to corner the redwood market and by the cooperation of all the mills with the lumber firms, this could have been done. A uniform price, 30 per cent above the then prevailing schedule was to be enforced and a greater profit thus obtained.

The scheme was carried through and seven out of eleven of the Oakland companies joined. The outsiders were the Humboldt Company, Taylor & Co., Oakland and Washington Companies.

These, under the leadership of Hogan Bros., of the Humboldt, determined to fight the thing to a finish and undersell their brethren in trade. In retaliation the combined firms refused to allow the Oakland belligerents to buy any more of the red-wood which they controlled, though the acute competition in Oregon and other places forbade holding out on p.he.

The Humboldt company placed a very large order for red-wood as soon as the talk began and settled down with enough to last out the year at least. Where the trust price was 30 per cent higher the others cut 10 per cent below the old schedule, and as a consequence obtained much of the trade.

This was all right as long as it lasted, but the heavy drain soon reduced the available redwood supply and then a desperate stand was necessary.

Taylor & Co. and the Hogans hunted for a weak firm in the trust, and by offering good inducements were sold a ship load of lumber. This is where the trust started to totter, and through the efforts of the Oaklanders has at last been completely destroyed. Now all are on an equal footing and no one thinks of maintaining combine prices.

Instead of working an injury to the boycotted firms, the combination has been helping along their business materially, and some are sorry that it does not still continue. During the time lumber was sent from here to San Francisco, San Jose, Sacramento and surrounding cities, for the price was less than asked in those places by other firms.

This is the inside of the failure of the lumber trust, which has now been in existence almost a year, and it was due to Oaklanders, representing a few hundred thousand dollars of capital, that the big State organization with millions behind it, was forced to suspend.

A famous painting shows the infant Napoleon in the chamber of his birth, and shows his mother watching over him. The mother of Napoleon was a strong, healthy, active woman. She brought into the world a family of smart, handsome, healthy children. Without health and strength Napoleon would never have risen above the position in which he was born. His mother could not give him wealth or high station in life, but she gave something better. She gave him the ability to secure these things for himself. She equipped him with a strong body and a clear intellect. Every mother may do as much for her son. The first step in this direction is perfect health for herself. Perfect health in a womanly way. She must take thought for the most important and delicate organs of the body. She must keep them strongly healthy for the performance of the greatest and most wonderful work in the world. Women do not sufficiently appreciate the importance of health and carefulness. This is shown by the dreadful prevalence of so-called "Female Complaint." Every woman may be strong and healthy by taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It is not a cure-all. It is intended to cure just one kind of disease, and it cures it. It works directly on the female organs, cleanses, strengthens and makes them healthy. It makes weak women strong, and if it is taken during the period of gestation, it insures health for the child; and, at the time of parturition, comparative freedom from the pains and dangers erroneously believed to be unavoidable.

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Henry Valentine, lots 38 and 39 map of Piedmont Villa tract; $10.

Frank H., F. M., Anna M. and Emma L. Buck to Anna M. Buck, NW cor 8th and Adeline sts N 265-8¼ W 156.5 N 58 E 156.6 S 58 to beg ;$10.

Beulah Park Camp Meeting Assn (a corporation) to Aurlie Reagan, wife of John, lot 213 blk N; lots 72 to 78, 61 to 65 blk E, map of Beulah Park ppty; $10.

Minerva J. Sweeney to Andrew H. Kitchen, lot 7 blk X Paradise Park; $10.

Maria A. De la L. Bon to Mary E. Chauche, N WTelegraph av and 37th st N 150 W 813-9 S 150 E 820 to beg, ptn I. B. Bon tract; $10.

Richard Paasch to Frank and Alvina Glaser, lots 5 and 6 blk 26 map of I. M. Wentworth Boot & Shoe Co.'s tract, subject to a mtge for $400; $10.

A. F. Gomes to Bonifacius Haas, lot 12 map of Bellina tract, Haywards; $10.

Jas. F. and Maria Ford to Clara B. Stanwood, all of blk 23 N addn to town of Livermore; $10.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1896.

J. L. Lyon to W. H. Latourette, S 6th st 100 E Harrison E 37-6 x S 100 being lot 10 and W ½ lot 11 blk 58; $10.

Oscar L. and Frances E. Knowles to Katie B. Doran, W Myrtle st 128 S 28th st S 25 x W 123-6 being lot 16 blk 654, Keene tract, subj to a mtge for $700; $10.

Martha V. Linde to Wm. D. and Addie G. Macdonald, N W-5th st 103-3 W Adeline W 25 x N 101 being lot 5 blk 488, Briggs tract map 2; $10.

Mary E. Selzer to Thos. P. Maloney, E 23d av 100 NE from NE E-17th NE 50 x SE 135 being ptn lot 2 blk J, sub 50 Associates tract; $5.

Oscar F. Sites to F. A. and Mary A. Pollard, NE Park av and Watts st 590 W from W San Pablo av E 60 N 125 W 60 S 125 to beg being ptn plot 6 Ro V and D Peralta; $10.

N. B. Byrne to Simon Fischel and Jacob Baum, E Walnut st 346 N Rose st N 50 x E 135 being lot 8 blk 22, being ptn Bkly Villa tract; $100.

L. C. and Miriam Morehouse to Helen M. Wettstein, lot 213 map of the Rose tract; $5.

Bonifacius Haas to Anton E., Enos and Mary E Costa, lots 10 and 12 map of Bellina tract; $1,050.

Peter P. Castro to Jennie C. Connor, NW Ward av and lands of R. S. Farrelly, th NW 147 x SW 73 ft being ptn Ro San Leandro town of San Leandro; $10.

John Fields to Antonio Fields, und 1-7 int 3 acres beg at a stake distant 7 chs NW from NW line road San Leandro to Andrews Landing as traveled in 1867 th NW 7 chs x SW 4.34 chs city of San Leandro; $10.

Pacific Improvement Co. to Susanna Prunty, lot 18 blk 66 town of Niles; $175.

Alexander and Mary A. Robinson to Thos. Bedard, all int 100.98 acres beg at Station No. 26 of survey No. 33 of lands of ex-Mission San Jose at corner common to tract hereby described and sub B of lands of estate of Joshua Wauhab, deceased, th SE 5.45 chs SE 6 chs SE 29.11 chs SW 13.69 chs NW 9.50 NW 4.50 chs NW 8.50 chs NW 15.97 NW 3.70 chs NW 4.60 chs NW 3.26 chs NW 1.50 chs NW 3.52 chs, th along lands of H. Pierce NE 5.05 chs SE 8.40 chs SE 1.80 chs SE 2.70 chs SE 5.50 chs NE 2.30 chs NE 4 chs to stake marked "26" at the point of beg being sub A of lands of estate Joshua Wauhab, deceased; $1,500.

Leslie D. and Maggie D. Coombs to Jennie Jacobs, wife Aaron, E Harrison 1442 N Central av N 52 x E 150 being ptn lot 13 Alice Park ppty subj to a mtge; $10.

John W. and Fannie M. Butler to Kathe G. and Margaret L. Perine, W Oak st 70 N 5th st N 30 x W 75 blk 128; $10.

Edward and Mary A. Hackett, Mack and Nettie Webber to H. P. Merritt, all int W Madison 100 N 13th st N 100 x W 150 being lots 12 to 18 blk 106; blk 28 bounded by E 11th st E-12th st 2d and 3d avs; S W-5th st 67 E Adeline S 97-3 E 137 N 97 W 137 to beg; $10.

Thos. W. and as atty. and Jane A. Badger, by atty., to Ersiglia De Bonis, SE Park Way 120 NE E-9th st NE 30 x SE 60, being lot 26 blk 11, Clinton; $10.

Mary J. Moss, Jessie E. and Perry H. Auseon, Lulu S. and Wm. L. Taylor to Camelia Young, lot 13 blk I map of the Moss tract; $10.

H. C. Morris to Mrs. A. B. Huntington, E Walnut st 220 N Mountain View av E 150 N 44-8 W 150 S 45-4 to beg, being lot 1 blk 9, Warner tract; $10.

Jas. Kerwan to H. B. Pinney, lot 38 and ½ lot 37 blk C Melrose station tract; $10.

CITY TAXES, 1896.

Notice is Hereby Given that the Assessment Roll for City Taxes for the Year 1896, on all Property in the City of Oakland, Has Been Received by Me.

That the taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property, is now due and payable at my office, room 5, City Hall, Oakland, every day (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) during office hours, and will be delinquent on the last Monday in November, 1896, at 6 o'clock P. M., and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof; and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April next, at 6 o'clock P. M., an additional five per cent will be added thereto.

That the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the first Monday in January next, and will be delinquent on the last Monday in April next, thereafter, at 6 o'clock P. M., and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

That all taxes may be paid at the time the first instalment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

Z. T. GILPIN,
Tax Collector of the City of Oakland.
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COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

THE UNION SAVINGS BANK (a Corporation), Plaintiff, vs. A. C. FREESE, Public Administrator, etc., et al., Defendants. No. 12,729.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, of the State of California, on the 5th day of November, A. D. 1896, in the above entitled action, wherein the Union Savings Bank (a corporation), the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against A. C. Freese, Public Administrator of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and administrator of the estate of James H. Munson, deceased, defendants, on the 19th day of October, A. D. 1896, for the sum of seven hundred and sixty-two and 59-100 dollars, in United States gold coin, including interest and costs of suit, which said judgment and decree was, on the 5th day of November, A. D. 1896, recorded in Judgment Book 27 of said Court, at page 111, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, in the Township of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the western line of Humboldt avenue, distant thereon forty-six (46) feet and seven (7) inches northerly from the northern line of Oregon street; thence at a right angle westerly one hundred and thirteen (113) feet and four (4) inches; thence at a right angle northerly forty-four (44) feet and ten (10) inches; thence at a right angle easterly one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet and ten (10) inches to the said westerly line of Humboldt avenue, and thence southerly along said line of Humboldt avenue forty-six (46) feet and six (6) inches to the point of beginning; being lot number 2 in block "G" as the same are delineated and so designated upon a certain map entitled "Map of the Leonard Tract, Berkeley," filed September 17, 1875, in Liber 5 of Maps, page 11, in the office of the County Recorder of said Alameda County, together with the tenements and appurtenances and hereditaments thereon.

Public notice is hereby given that on

TUESDAY, THE 1ST DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 1896,

At ten o'clock A. M. of that day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Oakland, Nov. 5, 1896.

W. S. HARLOW,
A Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.
A. A. MOORE, Attorney for Plaintiff.

PROPOSALS for repairing Engine House Number Four.

Department of Public Works, City Hall, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 28, 1896.

In pursuance with the order of the Board of Public Works, sealed proposals will be received in open session of the Board of Public Works, at their office in the City Hall, on Wednesday, the 9th day of December, 1896, from 10 to 11 o'clock A. M., for repairing Engine House Number Four of the Fire Department of the City of Oakland, situated on the south side of East Fourteenth street, between 12th and 13th avenues, in the City of Oakland, all work done and materials furnished to be in strict accordance with the plans and specifications for said repairs now on file in the office of the Department of Public Works, to which reference is hereby made for full particulars and description of said repairs and materials to be used or employed in the construction of the said repairs and to be under the supervision of F. D. Voorhees, the authorized architect for said repairs.

The said work to be commenced within five days and be completed within thirty days after entering into contract for said repairs.

All work done and materials furnished to be subject to the approval and to the satisfaction of the Board of Public Works.

All bids must be made upon the blank forms of the Board, which will be furnished upon application, by the Secretary.

All bids must be accompanied by a check certified by some responsible bank, made payable to the order of J. W. Tompkins, Clerk of the Council, for not less than ten per cent of the proposal, which check shall be forfeited to the City of Oakland should the bidder receiving the award fail within 5 days to enter into a contract and furnish a good and sufficient bond in the sum of $375.00 for the faithful performance of the same.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Board of Public Works.
N. W. SPAULDING, Jr.,
Secretary.

Notice to Creditors.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Daniel Brannan, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, William A. Fine, administrator of the estate of Daniel Brannan, deceased, to all the creditors and persons having claims against said estate, that they are required to present and exhibit their claims with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator, at his residence, number 934 Myrtle street, Oakland, the same being his place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the said County and State.

WILLIAM A. FINE,
Administrator of the estate of Daniel Brannan, deceased.
HARRIS & HESS, Attys for Administrator, Mills Bldg, 5th Floor, Room 4, San Francisco, California.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Thomas Smith (alias Thomas F. Smith), deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executor of the estate of Thomas Smith, otherwise known as Thomas F. Smith, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said executor at the office of M. Cooney, Esq., rooms 102 and 103, Phelan Building, San Francisco, Cal, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

MICHAEL SMITH,
Executor of the estate of said Thomas Smith, deceased.
Dated Oakland, Nov. 23d, 1896.
M. COONEY, Esq., Phelan Building, San Francisco, Attorney for Executor.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Ellen M. McLaughlin, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executors of the will of Ellen M. McLaughlin, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executors, at the law office of B. McFadden, Esq., No. 906 Broadway St., Oakland, Cal., which said office the undersigned select as their place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said Ellen M. McLaughlin, deceased.

ANTONIO FONTE,
MICHAEL CALLAHAN,
Executors of the will of Ellen M. McLaughlin, deceased.
Dated Oakland, November 26, 1896.
B. McFADDEN, 906 Broadway St., Oakland, Cal., Attorney for Executors.

LEGAL

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance establishing the official curb grades on certain streets in the City of Oakland, to-wit: On College avenue between Webster street and Broadway; on Academy place between College avenue and Edwards street.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland, as follows:

SECTION I.

The official curb grades on College avenue between the western line of Webster street and the western line of Broadway are hereby established and declared to be at the following elevations above city base, to-wit:

77.9 feet northern curb at the western line of Webster street.

76.8 feet both curbs at a point 130 feet westerly from the western line of Academy place produced.

74.8 feet both curbs at a point 30 feet westerly from the western line of Academy place produced.

73.4 feet both curbs at a point 60 feet westerly from the western line of Academy place produced.

67.25 feet both curbs at the western line of Academy place produced.

66 feet both curbs at the eastern line of Academy place produced.

60.2 feet both curbs at a point 70 feet easterly from the eastern line of Academy place produced.

57.2 feet both curbs at a point 170 feet easterly from the eastern line of Academy place produced.

52.5 feet northern curb and 52.1 feet southern curb at the western line of Broadway.

SECTION II.

The official curb grades on Academy place between the northern line of College avenue and the southern line of Edwards street are hereby established and declared to be at the following elevations above city base, to-wit:

67 feet western curb and 66 feet eastern curb at the northern line of College avenue.

79 feet western curb and 78 feet eastern curb at the southern line of Plymouth avenue.

79.5 feet western curb and 78.5 feet eastern curb at the northern line of Plymouth avenue.

80.31 feet western curb and 79.54 feet eastern curb at the southern line of Edwards street.

SECTION III.

The distances herein given are measured on the center lines of streets.

Grades to be on straight lines between the points and elevations hereinabove given.

SECTION IV.

This Ordinance to take effect upon its passage and approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 23rd, 1896.

Passed to print by the following vote:
Ayes—Messrs. Bassett, Brosnahan, Buckland, Dow, Heitmann, Kaufman, Manuel, Marshall, Towle, Watkinson and President Mott—11.
Noes—None.
Absent—None.
Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.
Oakland, Nov. 25th, 1896.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to purchase five horses for the Fire Department, at a cost not to exceed seven hundred and fifty ($750) dollars.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland, as follows:

SECTION I.

The Board of Public Works is hereby authorized to purchase five (5) horses for the Fire Department of the City of Oakland at a cost not to exceed seven hundred and fifty ($750) dollars.

SECTION II.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 23rd, 1896.

Passed to print by the following vote:
Ayes—Messrs. Bassett, Brosnahan, Buckland, Dow, Heitmann, Kaufman, Manuel, Marshall, Towle, Watkinson and President Mott—11.
Noes—None.
Absent—None.
Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.
Oakland, Nov. 25th, 1896.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance amending Section 1 of Ordinance No. 1421, entitled "An Ordinance regulating the use of bicycles, tricycles and velocipedes within the limits of the City of Oakland," approved May 9, 1892.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland, as follows:

SECTION 1.

Section 1 of Ordinance No. 1421, entitled "An Ordinance regulating the use of bicycles, tricycles and velocipedes within the limits of the City of Oakland," approved May 9, 1892, is hereby amended to read as follows: Every person riding a bicycle, tricycle or velocipede upon any sidewalk of any public street, lane or alley, or within any public square within the limits of the City of Oakland shall immediately dismount from said bicycle, tricycle or velocipede upon meeting or overtaking any person who may then and there be walking or standing upon said sidewalk or within said public square.

SECTION II.

This Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force upon its passage and approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 23rd, 1896.

Passed to print by the following vote:
Ayes—Messrs. Bassett, Brosnahan, Buckland, Dow, Heitmann, Kaufman, Manuel, Marshall, Towle, Watkinson and President Mott—11.
Noes—None.
Absent—None.
Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.
Oakland, Nov. 25th, 1896.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners to appoint a steward of Engine Company No. 1 at a salary not to exceed $75.00 per month.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland, as follows:

SECTION I.

The Board of Police and Fire Commissioners are hereby authorized and empowered to appoint a steward of Engine Company No. 1, who shall act as foreman of said company.

SECTION II.

The salary of said steward shall be $75.00 per month.

SECTION III.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 23rd, 1896.

Passed to print by the following vote:
Ayes—Messrs. Buckland, Dow, Manuel, Marshall, Towle and President Mott—6.
Noes—Messrs. Bassett, Brosnahan, Heitmann, Kaufman and Watkinson—5.
Absent—None.
Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.
Oakland, Nov. 25th, 1896.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance establishing the official curb grades on certain streets in the City of Oakland, to-wit: On East 28th street from 13th avenue to Vallecito place; on Vallecito place from East 28th street to 14th avenue.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland, as follows:

SECTION 1.

The official curb grades on East 28th street from 13th avenue to Vallecito place are hereby established and declared to be at the following elevations above city base, to-wit:

148.4 feet northeastern curb and 146.1 feet southwestern curb at the southeastern line of 13th avenue.

151 feet both curbs at a point 200 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 13th avenue.

154 feet both curbs at a point 350 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 13th avenue.

153.4 feet both curbs at a point 400 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 13th avenue.

150 feet both curbs at a point 450 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 13th avenue.

146 feet both curbs at a point 500 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 13th avenue.

110 feet southwestern curb at a point 727 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 13th avenue.

110 feet northeastern curb and 108.5 feet southwestern curb at the western line of Vallecito place produced.

SECTION II.

The official curb grades on Vallecito place from a point at right angles opposite the intersection of the west line of Vallecito place with the northeastern line of East 28th street to the northwestern line of 14th avenue are hereby established and declared to be at the following elevations above city base, to-wit:

110 feet both curbs at points at right angles opposite to the intersection of the west line of Vallecito place with the northwestern line of East 28th street.

108 feet both curbs at points at right angles opposite to the intersection of the west line of Vallecito place with the southwestern line of East 28th street.

96 feet both curbs opposite the intersection of the west line of Vallecito place with the northeastern line of East 27th street.

SECTION III.

The grades to be on straight lines between the points and elevations hereinabove given.

SECTION IV.

This Ordinance to take effect upon its passage and approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 23rd, 1896.

Passed to print by the following vote:
Ayes—Messrs. Bassett, Brosnahan, Buckland, Dow, Heitmann, Kaufman, Manuel, Marshall, Towle, Watkinson and President Mott—11.
Noes—None.
Absent—None.
Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.
Oakland, Nov. 25th, 1896.

LEGAL

EXECUTOR'S SALE.

Pursuant to the order of the Superior Court of Alameda County, California, Department Four, of date June 25, 1896, in the matter of the estate of Jason A. Rose, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned, executor of said estate, will sell on or after the 4th day of Dec., 1896, at private sale to the highest bidder, for cash, the following property of decedent's estate, to-wit:

All those certain pieces of real property situate in the Township of Murray, County of Alameda, State of California, bounded and described as follows:

1st. Commencing at a point where the center line of county road No. 1533 intersects course No. 10 of the survey of the Rancho Santa Rita and being the line dividing the Ranchos Santa Rita and the Rancho El Valle de San Jose; thence along the center line of said county road N. 15 deg. 7 min. W. 69 chains 19 links to the southeast corner of lands of August Harms; thence S. 69 deg. 40 min. W. 46 chains 16 links to the most northerly corner of plot No. 1 of the subdivision of the Bernal portion of the Rancho El Valle de San Jose and being also the western end of course No. 10 of the Santa Rita Rancho; thence south 45 deg. 32 min. E. 76 chains 80 links along the line dividing aforesaid ranchos to the place of beginning. Containing 138 50-100 acres and being a portion of the Rancho Santa Rita and also being the same property conveyed by Samuel B. Martin to Lewis Atkinson by deed dated May 1, 1873, and recorded in Liber 154 of Deeds at page 188, Alameda County Records.

2nd. Being a portion of plot No. 4 of the Rancho El Valle de San Jose, and beginning on the south line of said plot No. 4 at a point distant thereon 12.77 chains easterly from the southwesterly corner of said plot, running thence along said south line S. 89 deg. 22 min. E. 79.05 chains, thence N 0 deg. 16 min. E. 20.20 chains to the southeast corner of land of A. J. Silver, thence N. 89 deg. 30 min. W. 15.13 chains; thence N. 72 deg. 40 min. W. along the center of an avenue 74.15 chains to the west line of said plot No. 4, thence along said west line S. 18 deg. W. 18.32 chains and S. 22 min. E. 11.10 chains, thence leaving said west line S. 44 deg. E. 13.45 chains to the place of beginning, containing about 253.90 acres.

3d. Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Main street in the Town of Pleasanton distant thereon 100 feet six inches north from the north line of Neal street; thence northerly along said line of Main street 150 feet 6 inches; thence easterly parallel with Division street 248 feet 5 inches; thence at a right angle southerly 150 feet; thence at a right angle westerly 250.78 feet to the place of beginning, being lots 2, 3 and 4, the south 100 feet of lots 7 and 8 and the north 50 feet of lots 9 and 10 in block A, as shown on a map entitled "Map of the Town of Pleasanton, Alameda Co., Cal., Surveyed for Joshua A. Neal Dec. 1, 1869, Revised from Survey of 1868," filed in the Recorder's office of Alameda County Feb. 24th, 1870, and recorded in Liber 5 of Maps, page 35.

Said property described 3d is known as the Rose Hotel property, and will be sold in one parcel, and with it will be sold the furniture contained in the hotel situate thereon.

4th. The southerly 100 feet of lots 8 and 10 in block A in said Town of Pleasanton, as shown on said map.

Parcels other than the hotel property will be sold as a whole or in subdivisions to suit purchasers.

Bids or offers in writing for said property or any parcel thereof will be received by me at my residence in San Leandro, Cal., or may be left at the law office of my attorney, Steph. G. Nye, 861 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., or may be filed with the Clerk of said Superior Court at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the sale is made.

L. C. MOREHOUSE,
Executor of the last will and testament of Jason A. Rose, deceased.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Robert Gabriel Kelly, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Robert Gabriel Kelly, deceased, and for the issuance to Sarah M. Kelly of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this court, and that Monday, the 7th day of December, A. D., 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the court room of Department No. 4 of said court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for hearing of said petition and proving said will when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated November 20th, A. D., 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN Clerk.
By J. CAL EWING,
Deputy Clerk.
BLAKE & HARRISON,
Mills Building, San Francisco,
Attorneys for Petitioner.

Notice of a General Meeting of the Stockholders of the Eagle Iron Works (Limited.)

A general meeting of all of the stockholders of the above named corporation will be held at the general office of the said corporation at the corner of Clay and Third streets in the City of Oakland, State of California, at 6 o'clock P. M. on the seventh day of December, A. D., 1896, for the purpose of removing from office all of the directors of said corporation who are now holding office as such, to-wit: John P. Lightbody, William D. Logan, James W. Wood, G. P. Sorey, William Nelle, Percy R. Stuart, Daniel Stuart, and for the transaction of such other business as may regularly come before the meeting. New members of the Board of Directors will be elected at this meeting.

H. W. NELLE,
Secretary of the Eagle Iron Works (limited.)
By order of John P. Lightbody, President of the Eagle Iron Works (limited.)
Dated Oakland, Calif., Nov. 21st, 1896.

ORDINANCE NO. —An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to receive bids and purchase a steam road roller, and appropriating the sum of $4,000 for said purpose.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland as follows:

SECTION 1.

The Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to receive bids, and award contract for a steam road roller. Said roller to be of improved modern construction having spaded attachments, and weighing not less than 15 tons.

SECTION II.

The cost of said roller not to exceed the sum of $4,000, and the said sum of $4,000 is hereby appropriated for the purchase of said roller, from the general fund of 1896-97.

SECTION III.

This ordinance shall be in force on and after its approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 16th, 1896.

Passed to print by the following vote:
Ayes—Messrs. Bassett, Brosnahan, Buckland, Dow, Heitmann, Kaufman, Marshall, Towle and President Mott—9.
Noes—None.
Absent—Messrs. Manuel and Watkinson—2.
Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.
Oakland, Nov. 18th, 1896.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Nicholas Doran, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executors of the will and estate of Nicholas Doran, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executors, at the office of George E. DeGolia, 967 Broadway street, Oakland, Alameda County, California, which said office the undersigned select as their place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Nicholas Doran, deceased.

JAMES McALLISTER,
And JAMES LONG,
Executors of the estate of Nicholas Doran, deceased.
Dated Oakland, November 25, 1896.
GEORGE E. DE GOLIA, Attorney for Executors.

LEGAL

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for the Year 1896.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1896.

To all taxpayers in the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said County of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment book for State and County taxes for the year 1896, on all property within the County of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, every day (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the first Monday in October, 1896, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said County of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

FIRST MONDAY IN OCTOBER, IN THE YEAR 1896

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda County, situated in the City of Oakland, in said County, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER, 1896

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior hereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1897, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda County for the year 1896 will be payable to the undersigned, Tax Collector of said Alameda County, as aforesaid, at the office of the Tax Collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1897, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN APRIL, 1897,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the first Monday in October, 1896, all the taxes, whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or, if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

FIRST MONDAY IN OCTOBER, 1896,

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes, both first and second installments, will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 19th day of October, 1896.

JAMES B. BARBER,
Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

PROPOSALS for furnishing three horses to the Police Department of the City of Oakland.

Department of Public Works, City Hall, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 21st, 1896.

In pursuance with the order of the Board of Public Works, sealed proposals will be received in open session of the Board of Public Works at their office in the City Hall, on Wednesday, the 9th day of December, 1896, from 10 to 11 o'clock A. M., for furnishing three horses to the Police Department of the City of Oakland. The said horses to consist of two buggy horses and one saddle horse. The said horses to be delivered to the Chief of Police within ten days after the award of contract for same. The said horses to weigh not less than (1100) eleven hundred pounds, to be not more than seven (7) years of age, and to have good life and action and must be warranted perfectly sound and gentle.

The horses furnished to be subject to the approval of the Chief of Police and to the satisfaction of the Board of Public Works.

All bids must be made upon the blank forms of the Board, which will be furnished upon application, by the Secretary.

All bids must be accompanied by a check certified by some responsible bank made payable to the order of J. W. Tompkins, Clerk the Council, for not less than ten per cent of the proposal, which check shall be forfeited to the City of Oakland should the bidder receiving the award fail within five days to enter into a contract and furnish a good and sufficient bond in the sum of $75.00 for the faithful performance of the same.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Board of Public Works.
N. W. SPAULDING, Jr., Secretary.

NOTICE OF FILING—Of 3rd Report of Commissioners in the matter of the opening and widening of Commerce street.

City Clerk's Office, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 21st, 1896.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners heretofore appointed to assess benefits and damages and to have general supervision of the proposed work and improvement of opening and widening Commerce street, between the northern line of East Twelfth street and the southern line of East Twenty-second street, in the City of Oakland, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1498, have this day filed in this office and with the Clerk of the City Council of said city their written report, showing their assessment of benefits and the damages, together with the plat of the assessment district, showing the land taken and to be taken for the work or improvement aforesaid, and the lands assessed, also showing the relative location of each district, block, lot or portion of lot and its dimensions.

Said report and plat are now and will be open to inspection in this office, and all persons interested therein and in said opening are hereby required to show cause, if any, why said report should not be confirmed by the City Council, by the filing of written objections thereto with the said Clerk of the City Council, on or before the 28th day of December, 1896.

(Seal.) J. W. TOMPKINS,
Clerk of the Council of the City of Oakland.
Oakland, Nov. 20th, 1896.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to receive bids and contract for the repair and reconstruction of the Eighth street bridge in the City of Oakland, and appropriating $9,100 for said work.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland, as follows:

SECTION 1.

The Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to receive bids and contract for the repair and reconstruction of the Eighth street bridge in the City of Oakland at a cost not to exceed the sum of $9,100, and the sum of $9,100 is hereby appropriated for said purpose. The repairs and reconstruction to be in accordance with the plans filed by the City Engineer on the 23d of November, 1896.

SECTION II.

This Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force immediately.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 23rd, 1896.

Passed to print by the following vote:
Ayes—Messrs. Bassett, Brosnahan, Buckland, Dow, Heitmann, Manuel, Marshall, Towle, Watkinson and President Mott—10.
Noes—Mr. Kaufman—1.
Absent—None.
Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.
Oakland, Nov. 27th, 1896.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to purchase 2,500 feet of hose for the Fire Department of the City of Oakland.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland, as follows:

SECTION 1.

The Board of Public Works is hereby authorized to purchase 2,500 feet of hose for the Fire Department of the City of Oakland.

SECTION II.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 23rd, 1896.

Passed to print by the following vote:
Ayes—Messrs. Bassett, Brosnahan, Buckland, Dow, Kaufman, Manuel, Marshall, Towle, Watkinson and President Mott—10.
Noes—None.
Absent—Mr. Heitmann—1.
Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.
Oakland, Nov. 27th, 1896.

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A JEWISH FESTIVAL.

Special Services Are Conducted at Beth Jacob Synagogue.

The Beth Jacob Synagogue held the initiatory services of the festival of Chanuka, or dedication of the lights, last evening. The festival will last eight days. The programme that was carried out last evening was: Opening song, pupils of the school; evening service, or Maarive, Rabbi Linczner and pupils; dedication of lights, Rabbi Linczner and pupils; English translation of dedicatory blessings, Miss Sarah White; Hebrew reading of Chanuka, Gus Ringolsky; English translation of Chanuka, Miss Sarah White; prayer, "Dedication of the Temple," J. Kleve; Hebrew address on the dedication, Gus Ringolsky; English translation of the address of Gus Ringolsky, Martha Silverstein; song in English, the pupils; history of the festival, I. Buchman; trio song, Gus Ringolsky, I. Buchman and Moses Friedman; remarks on the progress of the school, H. J. Landers; sermon, Rabbi Linczner; song, "Evening," the pupils; essay, "Religion," Moses Friedman; paper explanatory of the day, Jennie Buchman; song, trio, Sarah White, Augusta White and Martha Silverstein; lighting of the lamp, Isa Buchman, Ben Buchman, Ben Silverstein, Gus Ringolsky, Max Taylor, Martha Silverstein, Sarah White; benediction.

BOXERS WILL BATTLE.

Tracy and Ryan Meet in the Fistic Ring This Evening.

The inaugural boxing tournament of the Golden West Club will take place this evening in Union Hall, San Francisco. The first event will take place promptly at 8:30 o'clock, and there will be plenty of fun for the sports.

The principal feature will be the Tracey-Ryan ten-round contest. Both men are in fine condition, so a spirited contest is expected. Tracey has been training at the Reliance Club, where he has had the best of treatment. The betting odds are in his favor 2 to 1.

Jack Stengler, Fitzsimmon's sparring partner, and Tom Johnson, the heavyweights, will give a six-round exhibition, to be followed by Charles Rochette and Harry Butler in an eight-round match for a decision.

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Forty-Seven Confirmations in Rev. Dr. Law's Parish.

THE EFFECT OF MISSIONS.

Plain Truths Are Set Forth by Rev. Dr. Chapman.

Continuing his series of stereopticon illustrated lectures, Dr. Wendte last night at the Unitarian Church chose for his subject "Paris." He talked not only of the buildings, parks and boulevards of the city, but discussed at some length the social, moral and religious conditions of the people. In connection with the improvements he spoke of Oakland and gave his views of the needs of this city in the lines of parks and boulevards.

The lecture was interspersed with personal reminiscences, and proved both entertaining and edifying.

BEAR THE CROSS.

The Sufferings of the Saviour Make a Powerful Appeal.

At the Market Street Congregational Church yesterday, Rev. Dr. E. S. Chapman preached his morning sermon from the text I Peter 1:11. The theme, "The Sufferings of Christ," was treated in a simple and elementary way.

1. The Scriptural references to them, all become an evidence of their reality and intensity. Many of these were quoted, and looked at from the standpoint of human experience. A vivid picture of the suffering Christ was presented.

2. These sufferings, it was urged, were distinctly vicarious. "He was wounded for our transgressions; He was bruised for our iniquities."

3. And the boon of which they were the purchase money was worth all it cost.

4. And so being purchased salvation is offered to us without money and without price.

5. It surely ought to be accepted as freely, ought it not? Will not you, each of you, thus accept it?

6. More than this, love so amazing, so divine, demands our life, our soul, our all. He gave His life for us. Is it too much that we should give our lives for Him? He endured the cross, despising the shame. "Must Jesus bear the cross alone?"

CONFIRMATION.

An Interesting Service at the Church of the Advent.

The largest confirmation class ever presented in the Church of the Advent, East Oakland, was confirmed by Bishop Nichols last evening, the rector, Rev. V. Marshall Law, having prepared a class of forty-seven. Of these one-third were lads and men.

The church was crowded and the choral service was finest, rendered by the mixed vested choir of forty-three voices. A sermon was preached by the Bishop, after which came the rite of "laying on of hands." It was an impressive scene and the rector was congratulated on many sides for the brightening skies of the parish. He has now in less than two years presented ninety persons for confirmation, and it is doubtful if any parish in California can show a corresponding awakening.

When asked last evening how much of this parish enthusiasm he attributed to the missions held in the parish he said, "Last spring we had sixteen names for confirmation when Archdeacon Webber came. Our united efforts during the week increased this to twenty-four. This year I had thirty-two names actually in hand for confirmation when our mission began. Our combined labors gave us a class of forty-seven. I am a believer in the brightening-up effects of a mission. It is not alone in numbers for confirmation that these missions are valuable. They stir up and stimulate those already confirmed, and a missioner can say things which need to be said, but which a rector cannot properly present to the people."

MRS. M'KENZIE REPLIES.

Her Answer to the Charges Brought by J. M. Douglas.

Mrs. Joseph H. McKenzie, by her attorney, Phil M. Walsh, filed her answer today to the $5,000 damage suit brought against her by John M. Douglas, formerly employed as a delivery clerk by H. L. Conklin, a Washington street grocer.

Mrs. McKenzie says that Douglas occasionally supplied her with articles of food that were not fit for household use and also overcharged her for the same. She finally called at the grocer's store and discovered she had been overcharged for some wheat. Upon making this discovery she informed Mr. Conklin that she thought his clerk was dishonest. The defendant disclaims any malice in making this assertion.

BLOCKADED BY SNOW.

Trains Tied Up on the Line of the Central Pacific.

The heavy snow storms that have occurred in colder latitudes have greatly delayed Eastern traffic and tourists who are on their way to California's sunny climes are imprisoned in snow fastnesses. The overland trains have encountered heavy snow blockades near Reno and all through the mountains and are consequently delayed in arriving. The morning overland is seven hours late and will probably not reach this city until 4 P. M. The evening overland is already two hours behind time with a prospect of a still greater delay.

Lost His Home.

J. C. Wilson's beautiful residence at 2123 Jackson street, San Francisco, was yesterday destroyed by fire. Mr. Wilson formerly lived in Oakland and only moved to San Francisco about a month ago.

JUST TWO DAYS MORE.

Then the Big Pugilistic Gladiators Will Do Battle.

Sharkey Will Rush Fitzsimmons if It Becomes Necessary.

But two days intervene before the greatest pugilistic contest ever held on the Pacific Coast will take place. Owing to the near approach interest is heightened and now there is little else talked of in the sporting world.

Sharkey has enjoyed a slight advance in the betting on the recent odds, owing to the fact that his supporters are more numerous than at first supposed. It is conceded that every minute the fight lasts Sharkey has a better chance of winning for his youth will tell against Fitzsimmons' age, though both are in the finest trim that a human machine can possibly be put in.

Fitzsimmons is very quick to take advantage of an opening and it is safe to say that he will not waste his time in delivering light, ineffectual blows as Corbett did when he faced the sailor lad.

TOM SHARKEY.

However, Sharkey will have something to say about the matter himself, for he intends to do the same thing to Fitzsimmons, which the Cornishman is talking so much of.

Fitzsimmons' strongest point is sidestepping, with the ultimate right upper cut. It is a decidedly dangerous blow and should he manage to land on the sailor's point with one of them, something is going to happen. It is said he will concentrate all his efforts on knock-out blows and will wait an opportunity rather than rush the fight.

ROBERT FITZSIMMONS.

On the other hand Sharkey has said that after the third round if Fitz does not lead out, he will go for him and then the hurricane can be expected.

The National Club has perfected arrangements for seating the big crowd and confusion in securing seats is reduced to a minimum.

Broke His Wrist.

Elinore Warner, a lad living at 1067 Oak street, broke his wrist yesterday by falling from a horizontal bar. Dr. Woolsey was near by at the time and set the broken bone.

POINTERS ON PAVING.

An Expert Who Has Watched All the Various Systems.

Asphalt Has Met the Test Better Than Other Materials.

The question of paving East Twelfth street in such a manner as to get the best results is being widely discussed in view of the fact that action on the matter will soon be taken by the City Council. In connection with the matter, the views of Stevenson Towle, a New York City authority on such matters, is vitally interesting. In an article in the Engineering Magazine of October, Mr. Towle discusses the matter very thoroughly.

"The health, wealth and comfort of a city depend in a large degree upon the character of the pavements," says Mr. Towle. "Merchants and business men have come to realize that their ability to do business and compete with other cities depends on the ease and cheapness with which goods can be carted and handled in transit through a city. Good pavements mean increased profits; heavier and larger loads can be handled with advantage."

Mr. Towle compares the paving of European cities to American cities, and states that the merchants of New York City were for years handicapped by the poor paving of the great seaport.

"The experience of New York in its efforts to have better pavements is similar to that of other cities at home and abroad. Originally the pavements were mostly of cobblestones, afterwards of Belgian blocks and sometimes of granite blocks on a sand foundation. The old cobblestones and Belgian blocks were utterly inadequate for commercial traffic and were soon completely destroyed. Various kinds of pavement were tried. The first was the Russ patent pavement, laid on Broadway in 1849. The pavement was not satisfactory, owing to its slipperiness, the blocks being wide and the joints close, thus affording no foothold for horses. Cobblestones and Belgian block pavements are not first class.

"Brick pavements are not an experiment, having been laid for the past 20 years in Holland, where many of them are in a satisfactory condition to this day. They are now being extensively laid in many of the cities in our Western States, where they prove themselves suitable for moderate traffic.

"The great success of the asphalt pavements now being laid in this country proves that they are well suited for residential streets and likewise for streets having the heaviest traffic. They are particularly adapted for business streets on account of the facility with which the pavements can be restored. The objections of the carters have entirely disappeared, for they find that much heavier loads can be carted with greater safety. The advantage on the score of cost is now very much in favor of asphalt; this is due to the great improvements in the pavement. An asphalt pavement can be laid so as to require little or no repairs for five or six years, or even fifteen years. This is due to competition and improvements in the machinery for mixing and laying the pavement, and to experience obtained in compounding and laying it, and also to the knowledge that the cost of maintenance is much less than previously estimated.

"The comparative durability of the asphalt pavement is clearly shown on many business streets. The pavement, to be successful, must be composed of the best substances, mixed and laid in the best manner with improved machinery and scientific methods. The failure of many of the asphalt pavements is due to not using proper asphalt. It is the experience of New York that the best asphalt pavements are laid with the Trinidad Pitch Lake asphalt, Alcatraz from California and Bermudez from Venezuela, the Sicilian mines at Raguna and Ver Wohle and Swiss mines of Val de Travers.

"Macadam pavements are not recommended for cities, and should not be laid except for pleasure drives; when laid, they should be of the very best material and workmanship.

"Some 20,000 square yards of asphalt block pavement have been laid in New York within the past five years, and have proved well adapted for light traffic. It is very much smoother and less noisy than any of the stone or brick pavements. So close are the joints that, under the influence of heat and traffic the blocks become cemented together, forming almost a waterproof pavement. There has been a great improvement in the manufacture of these blocks, tending to make them more durable. They are now made with broken trap rock instead of the soft lime rock previously used.

"The failure of wood pavement in this country did not prevent its extensive use in London and Paris, where its success was due to excellence of construction and maintenance, involving a cost at least double that of the best asphalt or stone pavement.

"In no instance is the benefit of a noiseless pavement more noticeable than about schools and hospitals and on streets occupied exclusively by the poor. Physicians and health authorities bear witness to the benefits that have been derived from asphalt pavements as not only noiseless, but preventing all liquid wastes from saturating the ground beneath them. It is this characteristic of the asphalt pavement that has improved the health of several large districts in this city occupied exclusively by tenement houses of the poorest kind. These streets were originally paved with the Belgian or cobble pavement and had worn in ruts in which the refuse water lodged. Since these neighborhoods have been paved with asphalt, physicians and the Health Board have observed a marked absence of malarial diseases and a lessening of the death rate. Good pavements not only promote the health of the community, but facilitate the renting of houses, and in no instance is this rental increase more noticeable than when a macadam pavement has been replaced by asphalt."

SPOKE ON SUFFRAGE.

Madame Florence Montague's Lecture at Fraternal Hall.

Mme. Florence Montague at Fraternal Hall last night told in her eloquent way how and by whom woman was defeated at the last election in her efforts to secure political equality.

She charged the defeat mainly to the onslaught made on the Sixth Amendment by the Romish Church and the saloon interests. The former, she said appealed to the superstition that had been handed down through the ages, that woman was the inferior of man and was not entitled to any consideration in the affairs of either church or State.

She said that the great Nazarene tried to impress upon the people of his day the truth that woman was man's equal; that there was no double standard, either in morals or mind, and yet so strong was the prejudice against women that the Apostle Paul forgetful of the sublime teachings of his great Master retired woman to the inferior and subserviant position again from which after an enslavement of eighteen centuries, she is now emerging as the great truth of the universal brotherhood of man is forcing itself upon the understanding of mankind.

The saloon, however, was the most active and potent agent in defeating woman's advancement. She said it appealed entirely to the lower and bestial appetites, and to its own selfish interests and though well aware that it was the direct cause of more criminality, more mental and physical demoralization than all other causes combined. Yet it was determined to continue its nefarious work and at the last moment opened its masked batteries and won the day.

It posted circulars in all its various channels of trade, demanding that its friends and patrons defeat the Sixth Amendment. Its batteries silenced the great dailies of the sister city, she claimed, and one of them in open defiance of its party platform which favored woman suffrage, issued a sample ballot on the morning of election on which it placed a negative opposite the Sixth Amendment. The saloon well knows that on the day when woman handles the ballot as the equal of man its fate is doomed.

The speaker then paid her respects to her own sex, which she handled without gloves. She referred to the oft quoted saying that "woman is woman's worst enemy," and bewailed the fact that there was too much truth in it. She said that her sisters who were well provided for in pleasant homes had but little sympathy for those who were less fortunately situated and who desired the ballot, in order that the position which that ballot would give her in society in business and in the nation, she would be better able to fight the battles of life and protect her home and her children from the influences that would continue to surround them so long as men only had the making of the laws which governed them.

She said that the last campaign had been an educational one, and she prophesied that the day was not far distant when not only in the Golden State, but even in every State in our fair land, woman would be recognized by her brother man as his political and social equal.

During her lecture she was continually greeted with rounds of applause.

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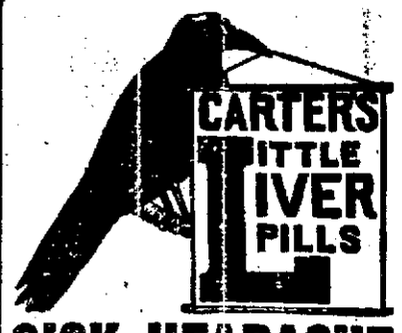

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PSYCHIC RESEARCHES.

Amos J. Johnson Lectures Well on "Raja Yoga."

Theosophic Theories Explained in an Able Manner.

Last night Amos J. Johnson lectured before the Oakland Theosophical Society on "Raja Yoga."

"Danger may result," the speaker said, "from ignorant experiments in Yoga in the attempt to force into activity the latent qualities which are inherent in every individual. Raja Yoga accomplishes its purpose by steadying the mind through meditation and concentration. It calls into action the several forces of the mind, and cognizes the mind rather than the inter planes of being. By this means the highest qualities of the mind are brought into play, and all that is concealed or dormant in the man is brought into activity. Before this development may occur, however, all faults must be crushed out.

"Spirit is selfless and sexless, and all that pertains to the lower man must be subdued before the higher faculties can manifest. Our consciousness is now focussed in the physical man, and before the inner nature can be manifested these lower faculties must become one in purpose with the spiritual qualities. It is the task of the student of Raja Yoga to perform this transmutation by continually directing and steadying the mind.

"A certain psychic development occurs in the study and practice of Raja Yoga, but psychic results should not be sought for. They are merely incidental in the process of spiritual growth.

"A little knowledge is a dangerous thing,' even on the psychical plane, and much more so in the higher realms. If one would understand these forces and know how to apply them, he must develop equally in all directions—not apply himself solely to intellectual study or spiritual meditation, but apply himself to both that he may be properly balanced. And as for psychic development, that effort should be deferred until one fully understands what he is trying to do, and until he shall find some one competent to instruct him, even though that period be a dozen years or a dozen incarnations hence.

"While the whole scope of Raja Yoga is very complicated, the ethical steps in the beginning are so simple any one may comprehend them. These consist in being loving and helpful and unselfish, and in maintaining a perfect self control under all circumstances."

HAS A BAD RECORD.

Bicycle Thief Malngren Is Well Known to the Police.

Malngren, the bicycle thief, now in the Alameda City Prison has a far reaching record. This morning Chief Lloyd received a letter from Chief Kingsbury of Stockton stating that the prisoner is wanted there for selling a wheel which did not belong to him, but to ex-District Attorney Avery White.

Malngren has many aliases, among them P. Green, Sandy Malen and Sam Malan. His true name is Malcomb, and at one time he was a race rider and has been connected with various tracks throughout the country.

An Installation.

Alameda Branch No. 3, Catholics Ladies' Aid Society, has installed the following officers for the ensuing year: Past president, Mrs. D. J. Quill; president, Miss Gallagher; senior vice-president, Mrs. J. McStay; junior vice-president, Mrs. St. Sure; marshal, Miss Wier; recording secretary, Miss Kate Jollymour; financial secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Quigley; guide, Mrs. Humphrey.

A Lively Collision

A wheel ridden by Felix Harbough of Alameda and a buggy driven by Dr. E. H. Blood and Harvey Wilson collided yesterday at Thirteenth and Broadway with disastrous results to the former. He was taken badly bruised to a drug store and Dr. J. P. Dunn was called. Later the man and the remains of the wheel were taken to his home at 2038 Alameda avenue, Alameda.

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EXTRA!

EACH SIDE SCORES A VICTORY.

Judge McKenna Hands Down His Decision Regarding the Railroad Commission.

THE RIGHT TO REDUCE THE RATES IS AFFIRMED.

But the Injunction as to the Eight Per Cent Cut Is Sustained.

(Special to the Tribune.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—United States Circuit Judge McKenna has handed down a decision in the Railroad Commissioners case.

The injunction against reducing railroad rates 8 per cent is made permanent.

The injunction against reducing the rates 25 per cent is dissolved, Judge McKenna stating that although the Commissioners discussed the proposition they never formally acted upon it, and he could not therefore pass upon a point that had no legal existence.

The right of the Railroad Commissioners to cut rates is recognized by the court.

The reason the 8 per cent injunction is made permanent is because in the opinion of the court it is too severe.

The court brushes aside the proposition that the Commissioners could not act on account of election pledges, Judge McKenna evidently considering the matter not important enough for a decree.

IN DETAIL.

How Some of the Points Were Handled in the Decree.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—Judge McKenna, of the United States Circuit Court, to-day delivered his long-awaited decision in the important case of the Southern Pacific Company against the State Board of Railroad Commissioners involving the right of the commission to restrict freight rates over the company's lines in this State.

Each side claims a victory in the decision, which concedes the right of the commission to make reductions in rates, but makes a permanent injunction against the commissioners restraining them from making an eight per cent reduction in grain rates on the ground that the profits of the Southern Pacific did not justify that cut in rates.

The commission adopted a resolution reducing the railroad's schedule of grain rates twenty-five per cent. Thereupon the railroad brought suit in the United States Court for an injunction restraining the commission from interfering with its rates. The railroad's complaint denied the right of the commision to restrict rates, alleging that power was vested in Congress alone.

Judge McKenna's decision to-day was that the Railroad Commission is a legal body, and that it powers were not only judicial, but legislative.

It has power not only to adjust rates, but to enforce its decrees.

The Court could take from the commission no part of its functions which included the regulation of rates of railroads.

The Southern Pacific is a corporation doing business in this State, and is clearly within the jurisdiction of the commission.

The Southern Pacific is therefore subject to the rulings of the commission, and the court declared it impossible to conceive how any other view could be taken.

The court also decided that the commission had jurisdiction over a corporation, whether local or foreign.

This point was considered at great length in the decision, which discussed all the constitutional points raised by the railroad.

The court asked: "What right, then, has this court to pass on any of the functions of the Railroad Commission which have been clearly established by law?"

On the question raised by the Southern Pacific that two of the Commissioners were ineligible to reduce the rates because of their ante-election pledges to reduce rates, Judge McKenna decided that the candidates had a right to make such pledges, which did not constitute ineligibility.

The decision, which took three hours to read, concluded by making a permanent injunction against the Commissioners from enforcing the first reduction of 8 per cent in freight rates, on the ground that the reduction was excessive, considering the earnings of the Southern Pacific.

The court dissolved the injunction against the Commissioners on the 25 per cent reduction on the ground that it was not the final act of the company, but was equivalent to a declaration of intention.

A TELEPHONE FIGHT.

Sale by the Sheriff of a Defunct Santa Clara Company.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN JOSE, Nov. 30.—The entire system and franchise of the People's Telephone Company was sold by the Sheriff today to satisfy judgment in favor of the Washburn Moen Manufacturing Company.

It was bought in by the newly organized People's Telephone and Telegraph Company for $18,710, which is but a few dollars more than the judgment.

The Company is said to be really a new organization of the leading stockholders of the defendant Company. The service has never been disturbed and a much improved service is promised.

The Company has brought about an average reduction in the rent of phones of fully one half.

HELD FOR MANSLAUGHTER.

Southern Pacific Trainmen to Answer for a Death.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

RED BLUFF, Nov. 30.—E. T. Chase, F. A. Tollman and Thomas Quniten, conductor, engineer and fireman of the Southern Pacific special, have been arrested here on a charge of involuntary manslaughter.

They are charged with killing Vandegriff by recklessly running a train at too great a rate through Vina on November 3d.

The defendants were released on bonds of $1,000 each until the preliminary examination. The time for the examination is not set.

GOODWIN'S DIVORCE.

A Compromise That Is Said to Have Cost Him $15,000.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—When the divorce case of Nat Goodwin, the actor, against his wife, living in New York, was called to-day, it was stated that Goodwin had disregarded the subpoena issued by his wife's attorneys, and had left last night for Portland.

The Court was considering the advisability of committing Goodwin for contempt when he should again come within the Court's jurisdiction, when his attorneys announced that the suit had been dismissed by Goodwin before his departure.

An affidavit was read from Goodwin stating the case had been compromised and that he had paid his wife $15,000 in lieu of alimony.

It was stated the real object in dismissing the suit was the fear that Goodwin's suit might embarrass the suit of Maxime Elliott, who simultaneously filed an application for divorce from her husband, George McDermott.

WILL HAVE NO TICKET.

Populists Will Not Have a Local Municipal Campaign.

THE COMMITTEE IN SESSION.

Candidates From the Other Parties Will Be Endorsed.

FUSION WAS A FAILURE.

A Lively Discussion and Then a Decisive Vote.

The Populist City Central Committee met last Saturday evening in the office of J. B. Randolph, on Broadway near Ninth street, and discussed plans regarding the coming campaign. A. A. Bretz was in the chair and all the wards were represented with the exception of the First, Ed. Maguire, one member, being out of town, while committee man Price is on the sick list. In their stead J. C. Buttner and A. H. Dewey were substituted.

The chief subject under discussion was whether to put up a municipal ticket at the coming election. Owing to the recent overwhelming defeat of the fusion forces several were of the opinion that the Populists could not do anything standing by themselves, and as a consequence opposed running a party ticket. Others differed and a genuine Populist word war ensued, the outcome of which was the decesion that the campaign was yet too young for any decisive measures to be taken.

However, the debate finally centered on the advisability of nominating a candidate for Mayor and a vote was taken. This resulted in five ayes and five noes, but Chairman Bretz refused to exercise his prerogative to cast the die.

Then the talk took another turn. Finally it was decided that it was principle, not men, that the party was working for, and so a suggestion that a local platform, somewhat similar to the Omaha document, be prepared, met with approval. A committee, consisting of one from each ward was appointed to draft the instrument, and it is understood that when it is completed, candidates from other parties who will subscribe to it will receive the endorsement of the People's Party.

From the present indications there will be no municipal Populist ticket.

NORTH IS CHAIRMAN.

Permanent Organization of the Alameda County Delegation.

A meeting of the Alameda County Assembly delegation has been held and a permanent organization affected. Hart H. North has been chosen as chairman of the delegation, and Howard E. Wright secretary. The Executive Committee consists of F. W. Leavitt, chairman; J. A. Waymire and Hart H. North.

Judge Waymire was unanimously endorsed for the position of chairman of the Committee on Judiciary of the coming Assembly. The other members of the delegation were endorsed for places on the committees.

It was determined to stand as a unit on all matters of direct interest to Alameda County, especially while any measures affect the State University or the Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institute. In the interests of a new primary law and good roads, the delegation will be in the front ranks. Among the other questions to be urged is an economical organization of the Legislature.

All the recently elected Assemblymen were present. Arthur North, Assemblyman-elect from Yolo County, was also in attendance.

M'KINLEY'S ESCORT.

The Alliance Club Will Not Have the Post of Honor.

It is nearly a settled fact that the Alliance Club will not go to Washington as an escort to President-elect McKinley. This arises from the fact that the President has selected members of his own war regiment to perform the honor.

President George Morrow, speaking of the matter, said: "There would have been no difficulty at all in raising the money for this trip if we had been accorded the escort honor. However, if the people of California as a matter of State pride want to send the Alliance to the inauguration I am satisfied we can among ourselves raise $5,000. Under the circumstances, considering the hard times and the long depression in business from which we are now recovering, it may be best to call the trip off. The directors will decide that finally on Tuesday night."

Gone Ashore.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

KEY WEST, Fla., Nov. 30.—The British steamer Mayfield, Capt. Fargher, from Penarth for Galveston in ballast, ran ashore at 10 o'clock on the 25th on the elbow.

The Mayfield is 1,725 tons register and belongs to the Mayfield steamship line of London.

In Big Trouble

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Isaac Scoope & Co., manufacturers of jewelry, confessed judgment for $70,390 today. The total liabilities are estimated at $75,000; nominal assets $50,000. The firm has a branch in St. Louis.

HIGH TO BE HELD.

That Is the Intimation Given by Judge Ellsworth.

PROCEEDINGS REVIEWED.

A Question as Regards the Validity of the Sentence.

ANOTHER APPEAL AHEAD.

The Matter to be Taken to the Supreme Court.

Judge Ellsworth in the Superior Court this morning intimated that he would be obliged to deny the writ of habeas corpus asked for some weeks ago by Gavin Dhu High, formerly editor of the Morning Times and Evening Item of this city.

This intimation was given out after a hearing of the points of the case in which the petitioner was represented by Attorney Nusbaumer and the people by District Attorney Snook.

When the application was last up before Judge Ellsworth, High was admitted to bail.

The petition seeks relief from imprisonment for sixty days in the city jail as a consequence of a sentence imposed on High by Judge Wood for the libeling of Wm. J. Dingee. The ground on which the request is made is the alleged irregularity of the proceedings in the Police Court where it is alleged Judge Wood failed to pass upon a motion for a new trial before passing sentence upon High.

Clerk Crawford of the Police Court was placed on the stand. He produced the records of the court and detailed the circumstances under which High had been sentenced. He said that Judge Wood had asked the defendant if he was ready for sentence and that Attorney Nusbaumer, speaking for High, had said that he was.

Judge Wood thereupon sentenced High to sixty days in the city jail. As soon as sentence had been passed Attorney Nusbaumer told the court that the judgment was not valid because the motion for a new trial had not yet been passed upon. On being thus reminded Judge Wood immediately set aside the judgment of sixty days and passed upon the motion for a new trial, denying the same. The court then passed sentence of imprisonment for sixty days, as above referred to.

Judge Ellsworth took the application and, referring to a clause in it to the effect that the defendant had appeared ready for sentence in the Police Court, asked whether or not that might be considered a waiver of the motion for a new trial.

Mr. Nusbaumer did not think it could.

The judge then asked if any other business had intervened between the first and second judgments.

Clerk Crawford said he did not think any other business had been transacted.

Mr. Nusbaumer asked Mr. Crawford if he did not recall the the fact that he (Nusbaumer) had made an application for bail in behalf of High.

Witness could not recall that Mr. Nusbaumer had made such an application at that time, although he remembered that such a request had been made at one time.

The blotter minutes of the court were produced showing the rough facts as regards the proceedings in the case, but they shed no light, the judge said, as regards whether or not any other business had intervened.

Mr. Nusbaumer then gave his recollection as to the manner in which the proceedings had been conducted. He said that when Judge Wood had asked whether the defendant was "ready for sentence" he (Nusbaumer) had simply answered "ready." The words "for sentence" had not been uttered by him. The court then imposed sentence of sixty days. Mr. Nusbaumer continued: "I then asked the court to fix bail and he replied that at present he would not fix bail, but that he might do so subsequently. The clerk then proceeded to call the next case. I rose to my feet and stated that the sentence was void and that my client was not subject to arrest, because the motion for a new trial had not been passed on. Judge Wood then said, 'I will now set the judgment aside. The judgment of the court is set aside. I now overrule the motion for a new trial.' The court then passed the same judgment on the prisoner as had been passed before. At that stage I took my hat and walked out of the court, and as I was going out I heard the court pass judgment again."

Mr. Snook said he would like to have the case continued till this afternoon to give Judge Wood a chance to testify as to the facts of the case.

Judge Ellsworth said that he felt that he would have to hold the petitioner under one or the other of the judgments. If the defendant, it had been found, had been held under a void judgment, and there had been a prior judgment in the case that was valid, the defendant would have to be held on that valid judgment. His opinion was that the second judgment was the real judgment of the case. When a judgment was announced from the bench, and, before any other business intervened, the court proceeded to announce another judgment corrective of or adding to the first judgment, the second judgment would be the one that would stand. Otherwise there would be no remedy for the mistakes which sometimes attend the first announcement of judgments.

Attorney Nusbaumer said that, before the court formally decided the application, he would like to have the case continued three or four days to enable him to get the matter to the Supreme Court.

Judge Ellsworth said he would be pleased to have the Supreme Court pass on the matter, and he therefor continued the passing of sentence until Thursday next.

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If you don't like it, he returns your money in full.

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San Francisco 454

SNOWED IN.

Trains in Trouble on the Line of the Northern Pacific.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

FARGO, N. D., Nov. 30.—With two rotary engines working out of Fargo on the Northern Pacific since Saturday morning, the train snowed in five miles east of Valley City was reached at 10 o'clock this morning.

Only half a mile was cleared yesterday.

The drifts in the cuts were 6 to 4 feet deep, and packed with sand. Picks were required to loosen it up.

The branch to Edgely is still frozen up. People along this line are out of wood and coal.

Small towns along the main line are also out of fuel.

Beyond Oriska today two snow plows collided.

Snow Shoveller Hans Hanson was instantly killed, and a foreman and two section men seriously wounded.

IN WISCONSIN.

CHIPPEWA FALLS, Wis., Nov. 30.—An ice gorge has formed in the Chippewa River near the Dalles and the water is backing steadily into town.

From a height of ten feet it rose to fifteen in two hours today.

Residents in the lower portion of the city are moving their stock and household effects to protected ground.

Great excitement prevails.

The thermometer registers 5 degrees below zero.

NOW A NEW TACK.

Broker Chapman Is Reversed by the Supreme Court.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—The Supreme Court has dismissed the writ of error in the case of Elverton R. Chapman, the New York broker, who refused to answer the questions put by the Senate Sugar Trust Investigation Committee two years ago.

This makes it necessary for Chapman to serve his sentence, at least technically.

He will be promptly surrendered by his bondsmen and the case again carried to the Supreme Court on habeas corpus proceedings to test the constitutionality of the act on which the prosecution was based.

THE DAVIS CONTEST.

A Three Million Dollar Estate in the Courts.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—The contest over the estate of the late Jacob Z. Davis, valued at $3,000,000, was commenced today.

The contestants are the niece and nephew residing in the East.

Davis left all his estate to the two nieces of his wife.

The contest developed the fact that Davis was not the true name of the dead millionaire, but Dediker.

He changed his name from Dedieker to Davis because, as the contestants allege, he was an apprentice when he ran away to California and changed his name to avoid legal proceedings.

SHOT HIMSELF.

A Prominent Young Eastern Man Commits Suicide While Ill.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Robert E. Marshall, 34 years old, Superintendent of the Altoona Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad, shot himself at his brother's house in Washington today.

Marshall was one of the most valued young men in the Pennsylvania service. He had been suffering from acute nervous troubles, resulting from overwork.

He was a son of J. W. Marshall, Consul to Leeds during the war and Assistant Postmaster General under President Grant.

A STEAMER AFIRE.

Two Men Burned to Death and Three Have a Close Call.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SOUTH HAVEN, Mich., Nov. 30.—The steamer City of Kalamazoo, owned by the I. W. Williams Transfer Company, took fire this morning and is almost a total loss.

Robert Van Ostrand and Joseph Land who were on the boat, were burned to death.

Three other men escaped without their clothing.

The origin of the fire is unknown.

There was good insurance.

End of a Sport.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Nov. 30.—at 8 A. M. Thomas Joy, well known as "Tonie" Joy in sporting circles, died at a hospital. Some one shot him last night, and Joy never regained consciousness. The police have no clue to the murderer or the cause of the murder.

The Wheat Market.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—Wheat, Nov. 81⅝; Dec. 81¼; Jan. 82⅛. Oats, Nov. 18; Dec. 18⅛@¼.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—Wheat, firm; Dec. 1.52⅝; May 1.62⅝. Barley firm; May .98⅝.

In Port.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Arrived: Pomerannia, Glasgow; Armenia, Hamburg; Furnessia, Glasgow.

HAVRE, Nov. 30.—La Touraine, New York.

WAYMIRE SELECTED.

A Popular Alamedan Is Slated for the Cabinet.

HE IS M'KINLEY'S FRIEND.

The Portfolio Is to Be Secretary of the Interior.

HIS INFLUENCE EXTENSIVE.

The News Is Said to Be Obtained With a Guarantee.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—The Bulletin will say this afternoon both editorially and locally that James A. Waymire of this city and Alameda will be the Pacific Coast representative in the Cabinet of President-elect McKinley.

While no portfolio has yet been definitely assigned to Judge Waymire, it is understood he will be Secretary of the Interior.

The Bulletin says i itsnformation on the point is beyond question.

Waymire is a prominent attorney and capitalist.

He is a personal friend of Major McKinley, and also of Mark Hanna.

At the St. Louis convention Waymire was of great service to Hanna and during the campaign was understood to be the personal representative in California of McKinley and Hanna.

He was associated with Chairman McLaughlin of the Republican State Central Committee in directing the Republican campaign in this State.

Waymire was for thirteen years a resident of Oregon, and has lived so long on the coast that he is familiar with all the interests of the Pacific Coast States.

He represented his Assembly district in the Legislature at the last session and was re-elected at the recent election.

He has also been prominent in Grand Army circles.

THE SCHOOLS OPENING.

Disregard of the Orders of the San Francisco Health Board.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—The Board of Health has virtually given up its fight against the School Department and the prospects are that the three schools closed by the health authorities last week will be reopened tomorrow.

Rev. Father Brennan, who is in charge of St. Francis Parochial School in the Mission, today took a firm stand against Health Officer Lovelace and his Deputies.

This morning the children attending school, assembled as usual.

Dr. Lovelace was on hand and stationed men at the main entrance with instructions to prevent the pupils from entering.

Father Brennan opened the side entrance and the classes formed.

The Health Officer called attention to the order of the Board of Health closing the schools.

"You may inform the Health Board for me," replied Father Brennan, "that I do not recognize their right to interfere, and I shall not respect their order."

The School Directors do not recognize that diphtheria is an epidemic.

Dr. Charles A. Clinton, who is well qualified to talk on the subject, ridicules the idea and states that nearly all the cases reported as diphtheria are nothing more serious than tonsilitis.

TOM FLINT LOSES.

The Official Returns Show That He Is Not an Elector.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Nov. 30.—The Bee will publish this evening that the official returns show that Martin, the Bryan elector, beats Flint, the Republican elector, by about 164 votes, giving Bryan one of the nine California electors.

This is based upon the supposition that the Santa Clara County returns are correct, but her returns appear to be badly jumbled.

The Bee has prepared a table and only awaits the news from Santa Clara to state the case positively.

All Paid Up

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

OMAHA, Nov. 30.—The time for paying the first assessment of the trans-Mississippi Exposition Stock closed Saturday night. With a slight exception every subscriber paid his 5 per cent call.

WHAT DOES IT DO?

That is, what does the Whitney Transfer Company do—transfers and stores household goods, baggage, pianos, executes commissions, transacts its business intelligently and reliably. Goes to and from San Francisco, Alameda, Oakland, Stockton, Berkeley, Petaluma, Benecia, Napa, Martinez, and other suburban points. Call up Main 12. 7

NOTICE.

A. JACOBS & CO.,

The Leading Hatters & Tailors of 958-960 Washington Street are selling an All Wool Pair of Pants for $4.50. Call and see them.

SAY IT WAS A GIFT.

The Rynders Stock Fight Is Before Judge Greene.

MUCH PROPERTY AT STAKE.

Witnesses Testify to the Transfer of the Shares.

THE HEIRS ARE FIGHTING.

The Oakland Gas Company Figures in the Case.

The matter of the estate of James P. Rynders came up before Judge Greene this morning. The man was in the interest of a minor heir named Henry Marshall, with a view to having $45,000 worth of Oakland Gas Light and Heat Company included in the inventory of the estate of the deceased.

The stock has not been mentioned because it is claimed by the executor of the estate that it was given as a Christmas present to Mrs. John Scott, a niece of the deceased and the wife of the executor.

Attorney Jordan of San Francisco placed on the stand and said that he had told the executor, who had applied to him, that he did not consider there had been a proper delivery of the stock to the niece of Rynders and that therefore, the stock should be listed in the inventory.

Mrs. Scott was then placed on the stand and testified to the receipt, by her from her uncle, Rynders of the $45,000 amount of stock which included 900 shares.

Judge Greene was not satisfied with the examination and at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon he subjected Mrs. Scott to close examination as to how she had had come into possession of the stock.

Before the examination by the Court was begun, Judge Greene invited the mother and the husband of Mrs. Scott, and Mr. Frick, all witnesses in the case, to retire into his chambers.

The witness then stated that Rynders had given her the stock and that he had previously to giving her the stock told her several times that he intended to give it to her.

There was only one occasion on which any other person was present when Rynders told witness he was going to give her the stock. On the occasion in question, it was witness' mother who was present.

When the stock was handed to her witness said that the tender was witnessed by her husband and Emil Frick. She could not definitely state what hour of the day it was at which the stock was given to her.

STEINWAY IS DEAD.

The Famous Piano Maker Succumbs to Typhoid Fever.

How a Celebrated Family Made a Fortune in America.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—William Steinway, the piano manufacturer, died today of typhoid fever.

Steinway, who had not been in good health for a year, was taken with typhoid fever about five weeks ago.

He was thought to be progressing toward recovery, but Sunday had a relapse.

Public funeral services will be conducted Wednesday afternoon at the Liederkranz Club. Many societies of which Steinway was a member will parade.

Steinway was born near Brunswick, Germany, March 5, 1836. His father, Henry Englehard Steinway, was a piano manufacturer. At 14 he was an expert musician.

In 1849 Steinway's father sent his son Charles to this country to ascertain a possible field for the piano business here. The report was favorable, and in June, 1850, the elder Steinway moved his family and business to New York City.

Business at first was limited to the manufacture of one piano a week.

Nine years later the Steinways built the present factory on Fourth avenue from Fifty-second to Fifty-third street.

In 1862 additional factories were established at Astoria, L. I.

William Steinway became head of the firm in 1889. He was always active in public affairs.

In 1882 Steinway was one of the Democratic electors at large of New York. He was a member of the original rapid transit commission, and was reappointed on the new commission. He was liberal in all business and personal relations.

AROUND THE COURTS.

Litigation of Much Interest to Both Bench and Bar.

A. F. Schrweer, E. Schween and John B. Hortenstein have been appointed to appraise the estate of Herman Schroeder, deceased.

A. W. Bishop, Daniel J. Mullins and Maurice Flynn have appraised the estate of Frederick C. Lowry, deceased, at $3,150.

Marie Alexandrine Courbaye has petitioned for letters of administration on the estate of her late sister, Augustine Eugenie Peron of Alameda. The estate is worth $1,800 and consists of a house and lot on Buena Vista street, Alameda. The heirs are the petitioner and another sister, Jeannie Julie Manisse of Paris, France.

Luzia F. Rose has filed the first account of her guardianship of the person and estate of Manuel S. Silva, a minor. It shows the total amount received to have been $1,160 35, while $1,848.85 has been expended.

LET'S PUT THE CASE

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MONARCH Coffee and Spice Mill

OAKLAND, CAL.

HURT WHILE HUNTING.

Serious Accident to Three Boys on the Alameda Marsh.

While hunting in the Alameda marsh yesterday afternoon, Harry Canty, aged 12 years, was seriously injured by the accidental discharging of a gun, and his companions, John Donavan and John Strick, aged 12 and 13 years respectively, received slight wounds.

Canty is at the Receiving Hospital in a precarious condition, the shot having penetrated his lungs. Donavan received a charge of shot in the right hand, and as a consequence two fingers had to be amputated.

BURGLARS WERE BUSY.

Five Cases in Town Reported to the Police Station.

Five burglaries were reported to the police yesterday morning. Four of them came from the Eureka Hotel, where rooms were entered and minor articles stolen.

The other report came from Fred Robinson, who rooms at the southwest corner of Eighth and Washington streets. His clothes, jewelry and nearly everything in his room was taken.

A MONTH IN JAIL.

James Carlin Gets Off Easily for the Ferry Affair.

James Carlin, one of the pair captured on the ferry a short time ago with other people's baggage in their possession, this morning was sentenced to thirty days' imprisonment. There may be another complaint charging the prisoner with exhibiting a deadly weapon, for he made his escape from the Deputy Sheriff once by exposing a revolver.

Hawley, Carlin's partner in crime, is in Monterey, standing trial for burglary.

A ROAD IN TROUBLE.

Appointment of a Receiver for a Traction Company.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 30.—Judge Dallas, in the United States Circuit Court today, appointed William B Given of Columbus, Pa., receiver of the Pennsylvania Traction Company, which operates fifty-nine miles of trolley railway in Lancaster County.

It is understood the proceedings were instituted by those friendly to the present management and reorganization will be effected.

The road cost over $3,000,000.

BOTH MIND AND BODY.

A Feast of Food Added to the One of Reason.

Successful Opening of the Lunch Room at the High School.

The High School luncheon opened today. Long tables lined with rosy checked girls and bright faced boys enjoyed five and ten cent lunches provided by the High School cuisine. Professor McChesney, Professor Meads and two or three other teachers enjoyed a simple repast with their pupils.

There were six long tables in the room with covers laid for ninety-six. Nearly eighty pupils took luncheon today. Little cards at each cover announced the menu to be as follows:

Soup	5c
Hash and one egg	5c
Baked Potatoes and Butter	5c
Stew	5c
Cup of Cocoa or Postum Cereal with Bread and Butter	5c
Baked Beans	5c

The food was excellent in quality, and the three darkies gave prompt and efficient service.

"The lunch is a success," announced Principal McChesney. "We ought to have had this room opened long ago. Now for a nickel a child can obtain something warm to eat or drink, and this may save him from dyspeptic pangs in the future. I think the plan is a success, and I for one shall patronize the lunch room."

Professor McChesney stated distinctly that no one outside of the School Department would be allowed to purchase a lunch at the High School rooms.

Mrs. Hitchcock, who has charge of the lunch room, is encouraged by today's attendance, but feels that it is too early in the day to call the enterprise a success. She has employed four waiters and two cooks and has gone to considerable expense to make the luncheon attractive and to give wholesome, well prepared food.

W. H. JORDAN SHOT.

He Was Quarreling With a Very Persistent Collector.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—In a little candy and fruit store on Broadway, in South Boston, this forenoon, H. H. Holmes shot W. H. Jordan, the proprietor of the store, three times.

Jordan succeeded in cutting a deep gash in Holmes' throat before he fell to the floor exhausted.

They quarreled over an unpaid bill.

It is believed both will die.

Oakland Lost.

The team from the Oakland Whist Club was defeated Saturday by the San Francisco Whist Club team in the Payot contest by thirty-seven points. The Oakland team consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Eby, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Otis, Mr. Robinson and Miss Brown, Mr. Walsh and Mrs. Haslett, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Heron, A. W. Havens and Miss Blackwood, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Coffin.

Reduced the Allowance.

The family allowance of the widow of the late Franklin Moss was reduced from $200 to $75 a month.

ELECTION EXPENSES.

The Total Bills Will Foot Up Something Like $22,000.

MANY ARE ORDERED PAID.

Auditor Whidden Reports on the County Funds.

HEAVY DISBURSEMENTS MADE.

The Supervisors Hold a Brief, but Busy Session.

A large portion of the time of the Supervisors was spent this morning, listening to the reading of and approving the numerous county bills which find their way to the Clerk's desk about the first of every month. The Grand Jurors and election officers were nearly all ordered paid. The election expenses for offices, polling places and lights were found to amount to $11,132 though when the other necessary expenditures for publishing the proclamation, Great Register, etc come in the total will be swelled to about $22,000.

Liquor permits were granted to Alfred Fy, Sunol; Charles Steyer, Mission; B. McDermott, Piedmont; Richard Hughes, Shellmound; Raymond Fadic, Niles.

The following communication was received from Frank Leed, Secretary of the Pacific Poultry and Pigeon Association:

"In furtherance of our application to you for an appropriation toward our coming poultry show, I beg to mention a fact which we overlooked when we had the pleasure of appearing before your honorable body; that is, our intention to give in our premium list, two thousand copies of which will be distributed all over the county, a map of the County of Alameda, and a description of her resources. These premium lists will reach the very Eastern class which promoters of immigration most deserve to meet—to wit: small farmers, orchardists, stock and poultrymen; and this step in itself will, we think, appeal to you as an item in itself of no light consideration."

The grade of Howe street from Moss avenue to Booth street was officially established by resolution.

Joseph Pimental, Justice of Eden Township, filed his statement of fees for September and October. It showed that $50 50 had been collected.

D. A. Mendenhall, et al., petitioned for a bridge over the Mocho creek, where the road crosses on the Still property. The petition was filed.

W. A. Knowles, E C Sessions, Wilber Walker, J. S. Johnson, F J. Woodward et al., petitioned the Board to vacate and abandon a portion of the Thorn Hill road near the summit which passes over the lands of the Oakland Water Company, W. J. and Virginia Dingee. This was deemed necessary, for the route to Moraga Valley has since been changed and the land is of no use. Upon motion of Supervisor Talcott, D. C. Brown, Wilber Walker and George Nusbaumer were appointed viewers, to report at the next meeting of the Board.

THE AUDITOR'S REPORT.

The report of the County Auditor for the quarter ending November 2nd, was filed. It showed the following figures:

Receipts—State revenue, $9,553.64; County General, $11,787.54; County Infirmary, $1,374.30; common school, $8,384 94; salary, $10,258.47; road and bridges, $2,774 12; law library, $513; Teachers' Institute and Library, $50; road poll tax, $24,140; personal property tax, $5,454.08.

Sanitary Districts—Adeline, $6,059 56; school district bonds outstanding, $79,000; Gate, $23.50; Union High School, $1, $75.35; $2; $1.40, $3, $10.08. Special School—Fruitvale, $6; Lockwood, $4; Temescal, $7 85; School bonds, $61.79. Total, $51,626 03; cash on hand, August 3, 1896, $298,518.11; grand total, $350,144.14.

Warrants outstanding, $12,243.77; school district bonds outstanding, 79,000.

Disbursements—County General, $58,837.84; County Infirmary, $15,086 61; Law Library, $792.50; Common School, $63,583.82; Teachers' Institute, $79.30; salary, $27,552 74.

Schools—Union High, No. 1, $1,052.23; No 2, $1,527 44; No. 3, $1,405.25.

Roads—General Road Fund, $1,98; Altamont, $307.85; Alvarado, $527; Bay, $305.50; Brooklyn, $776.50; Castro Valley, $356.35; Centerville, $324.57; Claremont, $59.35; Dublin, $169.45; Fruitvale, $2,346.31, Mt. Eden, $1,053.18; Mission, $171.95, Murray, $448.70; Newark, $78; Niles, $508.15; Ocean View, $171.38; Peralta, $190 50.

Pleasanton, $345; Palomares, $66.80; Piedmont, $1,428.95; San Lorenzo, $752.16; Temescal, $397.70; Vallecito, $131.25; Washington, $865.97; road damage, $1,300.

Sanitary Districts—Adeline, $6,687.70; Fruitvale, No. 1, $441.85; No. 2, $225; Golden Gate, $227 60; Golden Gate, (additional) $275; Piedmont, $6,118.50; Vallevista, $933.05; Union, $2,202.90.

School Districts—Lockwood, $4; Fruitvale, $61.30, Summit, $5; Temescal, $1,672. Total, $202,201.79.

Cash on hand, November 2nd, $147,942.35; grand total, $350,144.14.

A suitable resolution was passed transferring $2,046.62 from the County General Fund to the State Revenue Fund, in order to pay the State Treasurer the amount due for the maintenance of persons committed to the Whittier Reform and Preston Schools Of this amount, Whittier gets $1,214.28, while the apportionment to Preston is $832.34.

The Board then took a recess until 2 o'clock.

At the afternoon session, the Board immediately adjourned until next Monday. The members then went to Fruitvale to inspect the new county road.

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A Fine New Home.

It will suit you. Open for inspection. Parlor 18x20, wood work all enameled white and gold mantel. Lower hall 11x24, redwood and Spanish cedar. Dining room 15x18, all finished in oak; fine side board with full front bevel plate glass, large oak mantel. The above rooms are all beautifully tinted and frescoed. Large kitchen. Five bed rooms 14x15 each, all finished in white wood and richly tinted. Upper hall 12x17. Bath room with walls and ceiling completely enameled; rolled rim porcelain bath tub. Large cement basement, with furnace, and register to every room. Incandescent wires, etc. Plate glass windows throughout. Will sell cheap. Excellent neighborhood. Close to business. Lot 54x143. Call and investigate.

G. B. M. GRAY,
463 Ninth Street

A BANK BREAKS.

The Missouri National Bank Succumbs to a Run.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 30.—Bulletin—The Missouri National Bank closed its doors this morning, owing to heavy withdrawals of one of its principal depositors.

The deposits are $1,500,000. A statement of the bank's assets and liabilities is not yet obtainable.

The bank was classed as one of the strongest in the Southwest.

Shortly after 11 o'clock the following notice was placed on the door:

"By order of the directors this bank has been closed and is in the hands of the comptroller."

This action was precipitated by the withdrawal of $50,000 in one lump by Helm, a wealthy local brewer, whose action was quickly followed by others.

The last statement issued by the bank showed deposits of $1,561,000, cash and exchanges $516,000.

D. V. Rieger is president, and D. R. Covington cashier.

In the panic of July, 1893, the Missouri National was one of the local institutions to go under, but soon reopened.

The bank had been open today just an hour when the comptroller took charge.

The officers were too excited to make a statement.

Some surprised was evinced everywhere.

No fears were expressed by the other leading bankers that the failure would spread.

Two causes are assigned for the suspension. One is slow collections and the other and prime reason, was dissensions among the directors. These finally led to a clash with the government.

President Rieger said this afternoon: "I have little to say, except there is no doubt whatever that the depositors will get every dollar they deposited here and if the business is judiciously handled the stockholders should get a fair return."

H. A. Forman of St. Louis, National Bank Examiner for Missouri, is in charge of the bank.

MADE THE MARKS.

A Girl Who Has Important Information About a Robbery.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 30.—Fifteen-year-old Emma Taylon, an orphan, has been held as an important witness against the four men who, Thanksgiving night attempted to rob a car full of passengers at the Kansas City & Independent Electric line.

To Mrs. James Townsend, who cared for the girl a year ago when she was brought here from Council Bluffs, Iowa, as a student, she declared she had made their masks and knew their plans.

She was recently released from the House of the Good Shepherd.

The police believe she fell into the clutches of the gang and also that she can tell something of the Chicago and Alton robbery.

WANT LOWER RATES.

An Appeal on Coast Business Filed With the Commission.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

DENVER, Nov. 30.—A petition has been filed with the Inter-State Commerce Commission, Washington, by representatives of the Santa Fe, Rio Grande, Rio Grande Western, Southern Pacific, Colorado Midland and Union Pacific, asking that these roads be permitted to charge less in the aggregate for longer distances between Colorado points and California than for shorter distances over the same lines.

The purpose is that the railroads may be allowed to make a schedule of lower rates from Denver and other points in the State to the Pacific Coast than Salt Lake City.

The Inter-State Commerce Commission has set the hearing on the petition for December 18th at Washington.

GROVER GETS EVEN.

Those Who Fought Him in the Recent Campaign to Be Discharged.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—The President to-day made the following appointments and removals:

Postmasters: Illinois — Evanston, Charles Raymond, vice David P. O'Leary, removed. Missouri — Mexico, Luke W. Morris, vice John W. Mason, removed.

The postmaster at Evanston was charged with going out of his jurisdiction to sell stamps and postal supplies so as to increase the receipts of his office and raise his salary and allowances.

The Mexico, Mo., postmaster was charged with pernicious activity in politics, insulting the President, and making attacks upon his alleged neglect of office. He is a believer in free coinage of silver. The complaints set out that during the campaign he made himself obnoxious by breaking up gatherings of the opposite political faith.

About a hundred postoffices are involved in charges of pernicious activity in politics now filed with Postmaster-General Wilson. They include a number of big offices.

DE YOUNG CALLS.

The San Francisco Newspaper Man Is Visiting McKinley.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CANTON, Ohio, Nov. 23.—There have only on rare occasions been in Canton as many distinguished party leaders as are here today.

Some members of Congress about to start for Washington stopped over to confer with the President-elect.

Senator Lodge of Massachusetts arrived this morning and was with McKinley till 2:05.

Hon. M. H. De Young of the Chronicle of San Francisco and Mrs. De Young arrived early this morning and were at the McKinley house some time, Mrs. De Young spending nearly the whole morning with Mrs. McKinley.

General Horace Porter of New York, who is expected to be Chief Marshal of the inaugural parade, arrived at 1 o'clock this afternoon and went directly to McKinley's home.

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MADE HIS OWN WAY.

Death in Philadelphia of Ex-United States Senator Scott.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 30.—J. S. Scott, ex-United States Senator to Pennsylvania and formerly solicitor of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, died in this city today after a brief illness, aged 71.

Scott was a member of the Senate from 1869 to 1875, being succeeded by Wm. A. Wallace.

He was born in Huntington County, Pa. His educational advantages were confined to the primitive district schools of his day.

He studied law with Judge Thompson at Chambersburg, who was also the legal preceptor of Senator Hendricks of Indiana.

Scott leaves a widow and six grown sons.

SAWED THE BARS.

Thirteen Prisoners Escape From the Wyandotte Jail.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 30.—Thirteen prisoners escaped from Wyandotte County Jail across the line of Kansas this morning.

Three have been captured.

All the available officers are scouring the country in pursuit of the ten others.

The prisoners sawed their way out. All save one, Walter Wood, who is charged with murder, were held for minor crimes.

The Miners' Trouble.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LEADVILLE, Colorado, Nov. 30.—In the District Court today the cases against the officers of the miners' Union, charged with being implicated in the murder of Fireman Jerry O'Keefe, who was killed during the attack on the Coronado mine September 27th last, were dismissed on motion of the District Attorney, who said he had no evidence against them. The hearing in the case of Charles Bone, and William Rowe, charged with the O'Keefe murder, was begun behind closed doors.

Shot as a Rebel.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HAVANA, Nov. 30.—Quinton Hernandez, classed as "rebel incendiary," was shot this morning outside of Cabenas fortress.

PAID UNDER PROTEST.

Edson F. Adams Pays His Taxes Into the Treasury.

Edson F. Adams this afternoon paid into the city treasury $2,304.32 as taxes on 76 acres owned by the Adams estate in the northern part of the city. Accompanying the money was a protest.

The assessment is $456,300. The protestants set forth that $304,300 would be a fair valuation and that the County Board of Equalization made the reduction.

MRS. COLT IS DEAD.

The Widow of the Revolver Inventor Passes Away.

Mrs. Mary B. Colt, widow of Judge James B. Colt, inventor of the Colt's revolver, died at midnight. She was residing with her daughter, Mrs George Edwards, at 2530 Dwight Way, Berkeley.

The deceased was a native of Baltimore, aged 72 years. She lived in Berkeley for nearly fifteen years prior to her death.

The funeral will be held Thursday.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Chris Milisich, Oakland	31
Katie Stratford, Oakland	20
Anthony D. Pacheco, San Leandro	24
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John T. Hegerty, Berkeley	25
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COURT CALENDAR.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1896.

Department 1, Judge Frick—Robinson vs. Thompson; Courtner vs. Salz.

Department 2, Judge Ogden—Murdoch vs. Oakland, San Leandro and Haywards Electric Railway Company.

Department 3, Judge Ellsworth—Spring Valley Water Company vs. J. L. Beard.

Department 4, Judge Greene—People vs. Devencenzi and Michael Collins.

Delinquent Taxes.

Indications are that the delinquency in city taxes this year will be about $15,000. The taxes become delinquent at 6 o'clock to-night.

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BORN.

BAKAR—In this city, November 25, 1896, to the wife of P. Bakar, twin sons.

WHITE—In this city, November 29, 1896, to the wife of Will B. White, Deputy Sheriff, a son.

DIED.

KING—In this city, November 29, 1896 Augustus B. King, a native of London, England, aged 80 years and 3 months.

ANGELL—In this city, November 28, 1896, Elsie A. Angell, a native of Rhode Island, aged 81 years, 11 months and 3 days.

FALKINGHAM—In Alameda, November 29, 1896, Joseph Jewett Falkingham, a native of Burnett, Wis., aged 52 years and 12 days.

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SUMMONS.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.
Department No. 3.

J. I. CRISTY, Plaintiff,
vs.
A. CRISTY, Defendant.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, and the complaint filed in said County of Alameda, in the office of said Clerk of said Superior Court.

The people of the State of California send greeting to A. Cristy, defendant.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, and to answer the complaint filed therein within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after service on you of this summons, if served within this county, otherwise within thirty days.

The said action is brought to obtain a decree of this Court dissolving the bonds of matrimony heretofore and now existing between plaintiff and defendant, and for such other relief as to the Court may seem proper, upon the ground of defendant's willful neglect, special reference being made to the complaint on file herein for further particulars.

And you are hereby notified, that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint, as above required, the said plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, this seventeenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

(Seal) FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. B. MASON, Deputy Clerk.
FRANK SHAY, Plaintiff's Att'y, 421 Parrott Building, San Francisco, Cal.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Charles B. Wells, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executrix of the estate of Charles B. Wells, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice to the said executrix, at the office of E. C. Chapman, Mills Building, San Francisco, Cal., 7th floor, room 43-45, which said office the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Charles B. Wells, deceased.

MARGARET A. WELLS,
Executrix of the estate of Chas. B. Wells, deceased.
Dated Oakland, Nov. 30th, 1896.
E. C. CHAPMAN, Mills Building, San Francisco, Cal., Attorney for Executrix.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

WANTED—An experienced girl to take care of one room, bath and baby; wages $10. Call 1074 Twelfth st., bet. Linden and Chestnut sts. Call in morning.

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GEORGE W. LANGAN — Attorney and counselor-at-law, Livermore, Cal.; practices in all courts.

BEN F. WOOLNER—Attorney and counselor-at-law and Notary Public. 1003½ Broadway, rooms 7 and 8.

CLINTON G. DODGE—Rooms 15 and 16, 906 Broadway.

FOX & GRAY—Attorneys-at-law, Pacific Mutual Building, entrance 6, fourth floor, San Francisco.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA—967 Broadway, northeast cor. of 9th st., Oakland, room 3, telephone No. 93.

JOHNSON & SHAW — Law office, 921 Broadway, rooms 2, 3 and 5.

MELVIN C. CHAPMAN — Attorney-at-law, 967 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., rooms 3, 4 and 5.

SNOOK & CHURCH, Attorneys-at-law, room 3, Dist. Atty's office, Court House.

NYE & KINSELL—Attorneys-at-law, 961 Broadway.

R. M. FITZGERALD — Attorney-at-law, 554½ Broadway, rooms 2 and 3, Oakland.

SAMUEL BELL McKEE JR.—Attorney-at-law, 967 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

DENTISTS.

J. M. DUNN, D. D. S., 1155 Broadway, rooms 27, 28, 29. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

FURNITURE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—First-class household furniture in five-room cottage, cheap. Owner going East. 1417 Webster street, Alameda.

FOR SALE—Articles of all kinds, new and good as new; take time and see our store and stock in trade; we mean it. Have you ever been to see us. If not, why not? We are the people. We have known mothers to come to our store with babes in their arms; babes have grown up, got married and bought goods of the same Schellhaas Same store over twenty years, no need of moving or changing our appearances. 408 Eleventh st See

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HIGH BACK brace arm chairs, $1 apiece; new sets beveled plate glass, $12 50, specialty of the Universal stove, will sold goods 25 per cent cheaper than any other store in Oakland Call at the Golden Gate Furniture Store 473 and 475 Eighth st., bet. Broadway and Washington sts.

WANTED—You to know that we are going to have a new store next to our old one. We are offering granite ware at manufacturers' prices, crockery, glassware, tinware, at your own price. H. Schellhaas, 408 Eleventh st.

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PRIVATE LESSONS at 342 Telegraph avenue, in stenography, typewriting, bookkeeping and a general English education, with writing, terms easy

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$200, $400, $1500, $3000 ON REAL ESTATE, Oakland and vicinity, interest 8 and 9 per cent. Loans arranged on shortest possible notice Hugh M. Cameron, broker, 479 Ninth st, Oakland.

WANTED MISCELLANEOUS.

"WANTED"—Second hand money for new furniture, at H. Schellhaas, 408 Eleventh street.

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DRESS MAKING.

DRESSMAKER who is good at making over would like work by the day, $1.25 a day. Address A. B., box 2, this office.

LADIES' TAILOR late of New York, will make all kinds of tailor dresses, riding habits and coats very reasonable. G. Maier, 1505 Clay st.

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$1,350—SIX rooms and bath; $17 per month; no cash down. Alden & Co., 908 Broadway

SMALLEST Price on Record—$2100—an 8 room modern cottage (two rooms in attic) with lot 37½ x 100, at 776 Harrison street, Oakland. Investigate it. For particulars apply to Albert Schmidt, 820 East Twelfth street, East Oakland.

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FOR RENT—A house of five rooms, large yard and basement; rent $8; key at 811 Filbert st.

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Peralta Heights—Lot 155x137 on Hanover ave., high and sightly, street work complete, this lot is worth $3,000, but we want an offer, can be sold in two lots, call soon. A. H Blow, 1010 Broadway. 8

East Oakland—Cheapest lot on 9th ave, 50x150 feet; location first class, close to car line, call soon if you want a bargain. A. H Blow, 1010 Broadway 9

100 lots in the Glascock Tract, fronting on San Pablo ave, Myrtle Filbert, 30th, 32d and 34th sts; street work complete, these choice lots will be sold cheap and on easy terms A. H. Blow, 1010 Broadway. 10

East Oakland—$2 000, nearly new modern cottage of 6 rooms, barn, lot 25x100, close to 23d ave local station and Alameda & Oakland electric car line, small cash payment, balance payable monthly. A H Blow, 1010 Broadway 11

Alameda—$1,250, lot 50x125 on Pacific st, near Chestnut, very cheap A H Blow, 1010 Broadway. 12

65x100, cheapest lot on Piedmont ave 13

Piedmont — 8 acres for sale at half its value. 14

Cheapest lot on Vernon Heights, 100x120, fine view of Oakland Lake Merritt and hills 15

$1,100, house of 3 large rooms, stable lot 37 6x125 on Silver st, near Telegraph ave car line A H Blow, 1010 Broadway 16

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$175 lot 25x115 west side Union near 26th st A H Blow, 1010 Broadway 18

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LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Nov. 27th, on Washington st., bet 9th and 13th pair of gold eyeglasses with chain. Finder please return to 1058 Broadway

STRAYED — November 27th, brown and white hunting dog. Return to 1807 Castro st; reward.

FOUND — Stray bay mare with white hind legs, owner can have same by paying costs Dashaway Stables, 370 Eleventh st.

LOST—24th inst, a black Japanned tin box 4x6 inches, cash account book of Washington Blue Gravel Co attached. Suitable reward if left at Ruedy's Hotel, Seventh and Franklin sts

LOST—White bull terrier male, about a year old answers to name of Paddy; studded collar Suitable reward if returned to 1308 Jackson st, Oakland.

BUTTERWORTH'S BROIL.

University Men Charge Their Defeat to His Account.

He Is on the Blacklist as Far as "Coaching" Is Concerned.

BERKELEY, Nov 30—The complaints against Coach Butterworth are as loud as ever, new charges being brought up every day. He is said to have come out "just for fun." He stayed at the Palace, attended receptions, etc., every night, spent much of the remainder of his time in writing for the press, running down and discouraging the players, and what time was left, about two hours a day, he gave to coaching the team. For this he received $600 a month. It is a sure thing that Mr. Butterworth will not coach the Berkeley team next term.

The students' Aid Society is making active efforts to secure situations for such of the students as wish to work during the holidays.

The U. C. second eleven defeated the University of Nevada Saturday afternoon. They returned with the Glee Club yesterday.

A new gasoline motor has been put on the West Berkeley horse car system It will reduce the half-hourly trips to fifteen minutes each.

At the beginning of the term a list of all the students was placed in North Hall with an iron box for contributions. Each student was expected to place what he could each month in an envelope with his name, and place it in the box The letter P is then place after his name for that month. So far about $100 has been collected, of which more than one-fourth has been given by freshmen.

Thayer, Dirshfelder and Dickie are preparing resolutions of regret for the death of Dr Bonte. The resolutions will be passed by the Associated Students.

BUTTE'S BIG BLUFF.

The Montana Football Team Patting Itself on the Back.

IT IS "JOSHING" RELIANCE.

The Sting of Defeat Last Year Sticks in Its Throat.

HOWLS OF DISAPPOINTMENT.

Wailing Because Oakland's Players Will Not Go North.

The Butte football players are trying to have a lot of fun with the Reliance men, as will be seen by the following article which appeared in last Monday's Anaconda Standard:

BACK DOWN AND OUT.

The Reliance Football Team is Afraid of the Smoke Eaters

A VERY BRILLIANT FLUNK.

Splendid Offer Was Made By the Buttes But the Californians Declined and Made Rank Excuses.

Reliance has flunked in a manner that is regarded as being thoroughly unsportsmanlike and cowardly, and if Butte is ever to even up the score with the Oakland players the opportunity will have to come later in the season. In preference to taking chances of losing two games to the team which they had already beaten twice, the members of the Reliance team yesterday refused to fulfill their engagement to play in Butte on Thanksgiving day, and in so doing they violated every law, written and unwritten, of amateur sport and declined the most flattering offer that has ever been made to a football team in the West. Their fear of the Buttes team is shown by the fact that in showing the white feather they threw over their shoulders something like $1,500, which they would have cleared in their trip to Butte.

As stated yesterday Reliance first agreed to come to Butte for two games on Thanksgiving and Sunday following for a guarantee of $1,500 and an option on 60 per cent of the gross receipts. Four days ago their manager, J. Cal Ewing, telegraphed that the guarantee would have to be raised to $1,800 with an option of 75 per cent of the gross receipts It became apparent then that they were attempting to crawl out of the game by raising the guarantee to a prohibitive figure, and rather than give them that satisfaction Manager McMillan telegraphed back accepting their terms, and Ewing replied that his team would leave for Butte last evening On Sunday another telegram was received demanding a guarantee of $2,000, with an option of 75 per cent of the receipts. Manager McMillan replied that this demand could not be acceded to and that Reliance wanted the earth. On reconsidering the matter, however, he wired Manager Ewing yesterday morning to come ahead and that he could have $2,000 or three-fourths of the gross receipts No answer was received to this message and a few hours later, in order to put the Reliance in a still deeper hole, Charles W. Clark, president of the club, wired the Reliance Club offering them a guarantee of $2,500 or a percentage of the receipts. This was $1,000 more than Reliance had first agreed to play for, and it made it impossible for the team to decline on the ground of expense

Manager Ewing wired back a brief message yesterday afternoon stating that the offer could not be accepted, as the team was not in condition It may be stated that Reliance was in good enough condition to play the Olympics last Saturday, and Manager Ewing himself said then that the team was in perfect condition The trip of Reliance to Butte would have cost it just $1,450, including stops at Seattle and Portland, and with games in those cities it could have easily cleared $1,500 on the trip.

The action of the Reliance in backing out of a game in which it saw a chance of defeat will occasion no surprise to people who are familiar with the history of that athletic organization insofar as it relates to the Butte team. When Reliance defeated the Buttes in this city last fall by a scratch every inducement was held out to them to play another game, but to no purpose They were afraid of defeat and would take no chances When the Buttes went to California last winter and were defeated by a combination of cracks who played under the Reliance colors the giants came up smiling and asked for another game, but fear again got the best of the Oakland men and they refused to meet them a second time. The Southern Pacific offered to transport both teams free of charge to Los Angeles for another game, and while the Buttes were delighted at the opportunity to redeem themselves, Reliance positively refused to make the trip.

After it was seen yesterday that Reliance had never intended to come to Butte negotiations were opened with the Olympics to fill their engagement, but the notice was too short The Olympics' manager sent word, however, that he would be pleased to entertain a proposition from Butte later on and it is to be hoped that that team will be seen here before long The Olympic Club is a grand organization and any engagement that is made with its football team will be lived up to to the letter Personally, the Buttes would much rather play the Olympics than Reliance, although the latter would have been the better drawing card in spite of the fact that the Olympics shut them out in last Saturday's game

In order that the public may not be disappointed in a Thanksgiving day game it is likely that a game will be played on that day between two elevens of the Butte team. The two teams could be so evenly matched as to play a closer and more interesting game than any that has been seen here this year

The Ames team has abandoned the idea of a Western and Southern trip on account of the crushing defeat which it received in Butte, and will leave for home this morning. Several of the players would like to remain in Butte, and some of them may return later on and locate here.

LETTER LIST.

Abel J J	Abel, Wm
Ahlberg, Axel	Allen, A
Arnold, Mrs	Arlington, Richard
Arnst, Est Mrs H	Ayer, Joseph Y
Bancroft, Harry	Baldwin, Harry
Barker, F R	Barash, J
Bashford, Mrs Coles	Beaumont, M V
Berry, Nancy G	Blackwell, Mrs M J
Brown, H L	Brooks, Frank C
Browning, Mrs	Bulin, Lester
Calvert, Chas W	Canal, A
Cannon—469—9	Carner, Mrs M E
Carver, L M	Chandler, Dr W H
Charlton, Mrs J W	Clairville, W
Clark, Mrs E	Cleveland, F C
Comstock, Mrs J	Costa, Manoel E
Cossins, Miss A	Costigan, Mrs B
Cotton, R L	Crane, E J
Cronin, Con	Curran, Thomas
Curtis, Mrs J	Curtis, Jas P
Dalby, Frank	Devereaux, E M
Dimmick, Mrs Mamie	Dockery, H
Dunbar, A V	Dunn, J C
Easton, Mrs J	Ellingsin, E
Emerson, Miss Georgia	Esheiman, E E
Fahrenberg, John	Ferrera, Mrs R M
Fernandez, Victor	Fishbeck, H
Frost, Grace E	
Gallaghet, Chas	Gans, R H
Gardner, Mrs O E	Goodwin, Mrs J A
Goslin, Ida	C D
Griswold, Mrs Clare	
Hart, Ed H	Halliday, Ed
Harrison, Emma S	Heather, Mary
Holt, Miss	Horton, H A
Huges, Mrs F	Hudson, Henry W
Hunter, G E	Hunt, T E
Irving, Mrs M E	
Johnson, Lud	Jones, S A
Karlson J	Kearney, Martin
Kelly, Miss K	Kimball, Mr and Mrs E
Kinchelou Z B	
Knight, Ethel	Kupper, Mrs Frida
Lacey, Mrs S E	Lafforgue, Marie
Lamont, Mrs Geo	Lawlor, Mrs Minnie
Lee, Rose	
Leonard, Mrs	Leviston, Geo
Linendemann, M	Lytell, Blanche
Marin, Manoel J	Marsales, Mrs Claire
Martin, Mrs	Manor, Jas
McClure, Rev N C	McIlce, Mrs Gertie
McMenamin, Geo	McWash, Mrs
Menefee, O I	Mollette, F
Merrill, J F	Miller, F T
Miller, Agnes	Miller, Mrs A V
Miller, T I	Morris, Miss
Moss, Allie	
Neary, Mr	Neumann, Chris
Norton, Mrs Jas T	
O'Kane, Mrs Fannie	Olson, Mr
Osborne, Mrs Edward	Olmerod, Mabel
Parker, Mrs M	Pierson, Mrs Geo
Pierce, Geo E	Preston, W
Pullen, Mrs S J	
Reeves, Battie	Relva, Manoel da S
Reilly, Miss M	Rice Richard
Riley, Bessie	Roberts, G W
Robinson, Mrs	Rollins, H P
Ross, Sarah	Row, Arminta
Sawrey, Jos H	Seukamp, H
Shaw, Nathaniel	Sherwood, Mrs F W
Sherman, W A	Smith, A
Smith, J B	Smith, T
Smith & Wheeler	Sprong, Ruby
Stevens, Prof A M	Stone, A W
Stock, Mrs E	Stuyvesant, C J
Sutliff, Mrs May	Sweet, Mrs Isabell
Taynton A B	Taylor, Mrs Clara L
Taylor, Buck	Thayer, Miss
Thasing, C N	
Voetz, Marie	Vose, Bertha L
Wagner, C T	Waldron, Andrew
Walker, R F	Wedder, Marian
Welborn J H	Wheeling, Mrs D
Wheeler, Grant	Whitney, Lucy H
White, H	White, Lewis L
Willcox, Leslie	Williams, Laura
Williams, W	Williams, J L
Winston Miss A	Wing, Capt Jas A
Winifred, Lele	Winn, Annie
Wittfeld, Anna	Woodverd, F M
Wright, Mrs Maud	Wright, Mrs C D
Young, Mrs A	

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J. J. WHITE, Postmaster.

A YOUNG LEGISLATOR.

How Assemblyman-Elect North Won in Yolo County

Assemblyman-elect Arthur W. North of Yolo County is in town. He is a brother of Assemblyman Hart North of this city and graduated from the State University. Mr. North enjoys the distinction of being the youngest man ever returned to the Legislature of California He has only just turned his 22d year, but has been prominent for quite a while past, one of his exploits being his managing of the University track team on its successful trip East. Mr. North is a Republican, and as Yolo County is strongly Democratic he had a hard fight to encounter. As a matter of fact the county went 300 for Bryan, but Mr North's personal popularity stood him in such good stead that he was elected by 542. He is the fourth Republican Assemblyman ever elected in Yolo County.

NOT THE SAME MAN.

P. P. Ferron Has Been Troubled by John Ferrin's Pranks.

Editor Tribune—Sir: Some time ago a party by the name of John Ferrin was arrested for embezzling some money from the Conniff Brothers, and my name being Ferron, I have been taken for the party above mentioned by a hundred people who did not know my initials

I wish to say that my name is P. P. Ferron, and not John Ferrin. I wish you would kindly correct this matter, for it has been a great annoyance to me, and I have troubles of my own. Very respectfully.

P. P. FERRON.

When the Baby is Cutting Teeth,

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Alcazar—"End of the Century."

THE WEATHER.

WEATHER FORECASTS FOR THIRTY-SIX HOURS ENDING 5 P. M., PACIFIC TIME, TUESDAY.

Northern California: Fair this afternoon; increasing cloudiness and possibly rain in extreme northwestern portion tonight and in northern portion Tuesday; fair in southern portion; warmer; fresh southeasterly winds.

Southern California: Fair this afternoon, tonight and Tuesday; warmer; light easterly winds.

For San Francisco and vicinity: Fair this afternoon and tonight; increasing cloudiness Tuesday and possibly rain; warmer; fresh southeasterly wind.

ALEXANDER G. McADIE,
Forecast Official.

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MONDAY.....NOVEMBER 30, 1896.

Dr. Eward S. Holden, Director of the Lick Observatory, has received the Decoration of Knight of the Royal Order of the Dannebrog of Denmark. This ancient order was founded in A. D. 1219, as a mark of military distinction, but is conferred in the present case for service to science. Dr. Holden receives more honors from abroad than he does in the State where he is rendering such important service. Few men devoted to science have encountered more hostile criticism than Dr. Holden. Most of it has originated in California.

The Record states that there is a "doctor factory" in West Congress street, Chicago, which furnishes diplomas to order: "Dr. Rutland, however, with that enterprise which always characterizes a certain class of citizens, does not seem to think it necessary that a man should wait until 40 to become a physician, nor that a long and laborious course of study is requisite as long as diplomas can be manufactured so cheaply by the gross. The applicant at the "college" can secure his diploma while he waits, if his conscience happens to be as elastic as that of the head of the institution, and if he does not happen to have the price of the diploma by him it can be sent C. O. D." The leading medical colleges now require an attendance of three and four years before an honest diploma can be obtained. In Philadelphia the man who sold medical diplomas brought up in the penitentiary. The Chicago doctor ought to bring up in a similar place.

These interesting historic incidents are recalled about Cuba by the Boston Herald: In 1848 President Polk authorized the American Minister at Madrid to offer $100,000,000 for Cuba—a proposal which Spain regarded as a National indignity. Six years later came the seizure of the American steamer Black Warrior in the port of Havana, by order of the Spanish authorities, on the flimsy pretext that she was engaged in aid of a filibustering expedition. The American Minister at Madrid was instructed to demand redress in the form of indemnification to the owners of the vessel in the sum of $300,000. The Spanish authorities justified the outrage, and in the burst of popular indignation which followed proposals were renewed for the purchase of the island. As an incident to these, Secretary Marcy suggested to Minister Mason in Paris and Minister Soule at Madrid that they should hold a conference for the purpose of adopting measures to secure concert of action in aid of negotiations with Spain looking to the acquisition of the island.

The outcome of this meeting, held first at Ostend, and afterward at Aix-la-Chapelle, was one of the most original manifestoes of our diplomatic history. In this it was suggested that an effort should be made to purchase Cuba at a price not to exceed $120,000,000, and that the proposal should be laid before the Spanish Cortes, then about to assemble. The trio of ministers set forth the great advantages that would accrue to all parties concerned from the transfer of sovereignty, how the oppression of the Spanish authorities in Cuba would inevitably lead to insurrection, and they recommended in conclusion that in the event of absolute refusal of Spain to sell the island it would be proper to take it away from its "oppressors" by force. "We should," said the Ministers, "be justified by every law, human and divine, in wresting it from Spain if we possess the power." The Pierce Administration did nothing, and Minister Soule was so disgusted that he resigned his place as Minister to Spain.

The Coming of a Noted Man.

Every year the Philosophical Union of Berkeley, of which Professor Howison is the master spirit, secures a short course of lectures from some distinguished scholar and educator. This year Dr. William T. Harris, United States Commissioner of Education, will deliver a course of five or six lectures at Berkeley. Dr. Harris is the author of many books on educational subjects. He is recognized as one of the foremost men of the modern school of philosophy. It will be a great occasion for Berkeley. Professor Howison has made his own department of philosophy a leading one in the University, and he has at the same time spared no effort to interest the larger public in philosophical studies and investigation. Dr. Harris will speak one evening before the Berkeley Club. That meeting, however for lack of room, will be limited to members and a few guests.

New Methods of Voting.

What is known as the Australian ballot system, with certain modifications, has on the whole, been more satisfactory than any other method. It has the advantage of secrecy. Every lawful candidate has his name printed on the ballot. There is a complete classification by which every voter can know the political complexion of each candidate. This form of balloting insures a good degree of discrimination. The voter determines his choice of candidates alone; and when an election is honestly conducted, it is not possible for any one else to know the character of the ballot cast. This plan generally secures quiet and orderly elections.

One of the objections urged against the system is that an enormous blanket ballot must be provided. Another is that the counting of such ballots is necessarily very slow. A third objection is that voters under this system, make many mistakes. The method assumes that the voter will have such a degree of intelligence that he can not only read names, but can discriminate between one class of candidates and another. It is noted that the longer this method is in use the fewer are the mistakes made.

Public attention has recently been turned to the use of voting machines as a substitute for the Australian ballot system. It does not appear from reports made of the trial of these machines in several places at the recent election, that they gave entire satisfaction. In some instances they failed to make an accurate record of the votes. It appears from the testimony that no perfect voting machine has yet been invented to this date. But there is almost a certainity that a perfect voting machine will yet be produced.

The requisites are simplicity. No intricate machinery will answer the purpose. The machine must be so simple and accurate in its working that it cannot get out of order, and cannot fail to record every vote. This simplicity must include cheapness. There must also be as complete secrecy as is now insured by the Australian ballot system. Now while such a voting machine has not yet been provided, there is no good reason to suppose that it is beyond the ability of inventors to bring one to such perfection that it will meet all the demands for accuracy, safety, simplicity and economy. When the perfected machine appears it will slowly work its way into general use on its own merits, while no amount of writing up will ever induce the people to tolerate any voting machine about which there is a suspicion of any imperfection.

A Touch of Winter.

The delay of the overland mail today six to eight hours on account of "blizzards" and snow drifts beyond the Sierras, suggests that winter has come in earnest. It has come in California a little stronger accentuated than usual. Yesterday was a heavenly winter day—a clear sky and crisp atmosphere, with hardly a ripple on the bay. A cutting north wind prevailed for two or three days last week which sent the mercury down to near the freezing point. There have been a few white frosts, and the sharp atmosphere brings a slight shiver, especially to people who have never had the experience of having been dug out of a snow drift. There may have been ice in a few places, but none worthy of mention. With six inches of rain already and more to come, there will be a green Christmas.

The great Wire Nail Trust which covered the United States and Canada since June 1895, has collapsed. It included the nail factory in this city, which under the terms of the trust has been idle. The New York Tribune gives these particulars: "For this and kindred purposes the trust imposed a pool tax of $1.50 a keg on all the nails sold by its members and rebated to them the difference after the objects sought were accomplished. A fund of $1,500,000 was returned to members on the showing made four months ago, but since that time the trust's officials and committees have incurred liabilities of much more than this in their desperate fight to keep the trust going. These liabilities will have to be met by the individual mills composing the trust, and a long period of litigation is highly probable. The advance of 15 cents a keg ordered by the trust at its March meeting in this city was the last act which marked the trust's doom. This put the base price of nails at Pittsburg at $2.55, which, under the peculiar terms of its nail card, meant that the lowest figure at which any nails could be bought there was $3.05 a keg. This resulted in an immense curtailment of the demand, and in turn forced the trust to close up 90 per cent of its mills and throw its workmen out of employment in order to reduce the output to comply with consumers' needs. The entire sales of nails by the trust mills during July were but 30,000 kegs and in August but 25,000 kegs, though the output agreed upon those months was 60,000 and 50,000 kegs, respectively. The March output reached 950,000 kegs.

The installation of Dr. J. Minot Savage as associate pastor with Dr. Collyer of New York, was made a remarkable occasion by the number of celebrities brought together. Dr. Edward Everett Hale in the course of his sermon made some severe strictures on certain religious corporations: "If the duty of ministers was only to preach the Word of God, their work, he said, would be easy; but they were called upon to combat the retrogressive tendencies of "corporations of priests, pharisees and professors." As an instance of these tendencies, he pointed to the practical rejection of the revised version of the Bible by the large societies and other sources of distribution of religious works. Depite the fact that the Convocation in England fifteen year ago found thousands of errors in the old versions of the Bible and expunged them, the bodies to which he alluded persisted in adhering to the Bible of James II. The only excuse that was offered by the Bible Society was that its charter said it must have the version "in common use," but this the preacher, in effect, characterized as mere prevarication, and that modern railways ought, on the same principle, still to run locomotives after the design of Stevenson's first effort. In emphatic tones he spoke of the "idolatry" of these corporations, in which they worshiped the past and turned their backs to the rising sun. "They despise the things that are before and turn back and worship the things that are behind."

The Winter Climate.

Whitelaw Reid, editor of the New York Tribune, spent the greater part of a year in Arizona, making his home at Prescott. He describes at some length, the climate as he found it at several points in Arizona. He gives that climate the preference to any he found in Egypt. He had the advantage of being within the limits of the United States, with telegraphs and rail roads within call. For people having pulmonary tendencies, probably Arizona furnishes one of the most favorable climates in the world. It is better than that of Florida or any of the West India Islands, or any found on the borders of the Mediterranean.

There are thousands of invalids who find both the winter and summer climate of California very satisfactory. They escape the extremes of heat and cold. There are some thousands in all who every winter leave the Eastern States for a milder climate. A large number of them come to California. San Francisco and Oakland have good winter climates. There is the additional advantage of good hotels and private boarding houses where every comfort can be obtained.

For an all round winter and summer climate, California has the best in the Union. The heats of Arizona and the cold of Colorado are two important exemptions. That cannot be otherwise than a good climate where the great crop of oranges both north and south of San Francisco is just ripening for the market; and plows are running in a thousand fields for the seeding of the great crop of wheat for the coming June harvest. Arizona a part of the year for pulmonary people; but California for people with good lungs, all the time.

The Future of Real Estate.

There can hardly be room for a doubt that real estate values have touched the lowest point of depression, and that with the beginning of the New Year, or soon thereafter there will be a gradual uplift of values in nearly all realty. There will be no sudden jumping up nor is it probable that there will be any thing like an old fashioned boom There will be a gradually increasing demand as a consequence of an increase of business confidence.

It is not probable that eligible real estate will be as low in the scale of prices for many years to come, if within the memory of the present generation. The sag has not been comparatively greater than in many other properties. Real estate has great staying power. It is all there for better of for worse. It is there in the long run, for the betterment of a majority of owners. Most people never lose confidence in real estate values. They believe that there is a good future.

The fluctuations of real estate values have probably been as great in Chicago as in any city in the Union. But the uplift always came, and the men who held on, or bought at low prices, nearly always made money. The experience of real estate men in Chicago only differs in degree from that in most other growing cities. After the depression, the quickened market and the gradual advance in prices. As much as this may be safely predicted for real property in this city of Oakland and in all the outlaying districts.

Clara Barton, President of the Red Cross Society which has done such a good work for the relief of Armenians, has just made a detailed report of the Armenian Relief Expedition that was sent out to Constantinople. She estimates that there are from 100,000 to 200,000 Armenians who are still destitute of shelter, rainment, fire, food, medicines, the comforts that tend to make human life tolerable, or any means of obtaining them save through the charitable beneficence of the world. These same estimates concur in the statement that without such outside support at least 50,000 of these persons will have died of starvation or perished through accumulated hardships before the first of May, 1897.

The work of enlarging the Erie Canal begins this winter after navigation ceases. Nine million dollars have been set apart for these improvements. Four thousand men will be given employment. The Erie Canal will be deepened to 9 feet. This addition of 2 feet to the present depth will admit boats 16 feet longer, with freight capacity enlarged one-half. It is probable that the seven locks at Lockport will be replaced with an elevator lock, lifting boats 62 feet to the higher level. The necessary rock blasting and dredging can be done to advantage in the course of the winter.

EVENTS OF THIS DATE.

A Daily Resume of History for Your Scrap Book.

On November 30th of the years mentioned occurred the following interesting events in the world's history:

HOLIDAYS.

Andrew, Sapor, Isaac, Muhanis, Abraham, Simeon, Marses.

BIRTHS.

1549—Sir Henry Savil, scholar.
1667—Jonathan Swift.
1809—Mark Lemon, dramatist.

DEATHS.

1608—William Gilbert, writer on magnetism.
1654—John Selden, author of "Table Talk."
1750—Maurice, Marshal Saxe.
1869—James Sheridan Knowles.
1874—William F. Havemeyer, Mayor of New York, aged 70.
1882—Gen. Daniel Tyler.
1885—Francis M. Bangs, eminent New York lawyer, Ocala, Fla.
1886—Joseph Melin, painter, Paris, 71.
1894—Joseph E. Brown, ex-Governor of Georgia.

OTHER EVENTS.

1016—Edmond Ironside, colleague of King Canute, assassinated.
1700—Battle of Narva, Russia.
1729—Massacre of the French (700) at Natchez, by the Indians.
1782—Preliminary treaty of peace between America and England.
1797—Anti-slavery petition presented to Congress by Quakers of Philadelphia.
1807—Portuguese Court emigrated to Brazil.
1853—Russians destroyed the Turkish fleet at Sinope, Asia Minor.
1864—Battle of Franklin, Tenn.
1874—Kalakaua, King of the Hawaiian Islands, landed at San Francisco.
1883—Loss of the steamer "Manistee" on Lake Superior; 17 lives lost.
1885—The business portion of Savannah, N. Y., destroyed by fire.
1886—John Dillon arrested in Dublin for treason.
1888—Burning of mines at Calumet, Mich.; eight miners killed.
1891—Mayor Harry White of Seattle, Wash., resigned his office.
1892—Nicaragua Canal Convention opened in New Orleans, La.
1894—The United Evangelical denomination organized.
1895—H. H. Holmes sentenced to death at Philadelphia for murder of B. F. Pietzel.

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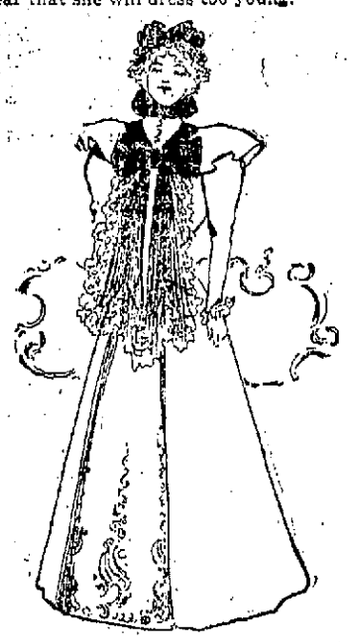

Alpaca is the prettiest material for an old lady. Purple, gray, black and a soft brown are the best colors. If dear old grandma is short and stout, the dress would best be made with a very full skirt and a long, pointed basque. The sleeves should be scant and plain.

The old lady who is tall and thin may be attired much more prettily. Her skirt should be rather scant, and may have an embroidered front panel, or one of some fancy material. The bodice is tight fitting and ends about three inches below the waist in a point front and back. A A simulated yoke is formed by means of a piece of ribbon fastened in a point at the middle of the back and traced over the shoulders to a point in front. Here it ends in a large bow of black silk, with long ends edged with lace. This bow prettily conceals the outlines of the figure, and a flounce of alpaca over the sleeves adds width to the shoulders.

The wrists are finished with a flounce of fine lace, perhaps a piece that grandma has treasured for years.

The throat should be finished with a stiff bow of silk, separately finished and hooked to the dress. Then, if too warm, it may be removed, revealing a high turnover collar.

NOTES AND EXCERPTS.

The Galveston News gives a history of the Culberson letter to the effect that Mr. Culberson wrote to Prince Bismarck and put a two cent stamp on the letter. The Prince would not take it out of the Postoffice, and it was sent back marked "refused." Then Mr. Culberson put a five cent stamp on the letter and received a reply. The person who tells the story draws this moral from it: "Mr. Culberson, a free silver man, writes a letter to a German bimetallist and puts half the required amount of postage on the envelope. The letter is refused because there is not enough postage on it. Yet, in the face of this, Mr. Culberson and his friends expect to make a dollar out of 53 cents' worth of silver, and expect the people of foreign nations to take it. See the point?"

Nicholas II is the fourth Czar of Russia to visit France, but none of them came under more attractive conditions nor was any one of them welcomed more enthusiastically. Peter the Great went to Paris in 1716 and astonished the Parisians by his boorishness. Alexander I was there just before the first abdication of Napoleon, and again after the battle of Waterloo, and his visits were not particularly pleasing to the French, even though his education had been thoroughly French. Alexander II went to Paris twenty-nine years ago, and his reception was a royal one. Now Nicholas II is there. He comes as the great friend of France, as the ruler of an allied nation. It is indeed a strange combination, this one of France and Russia, and France is doing her best to show how she welcomes it. It will be instructive and most interesting to observe the results of the visit.—Boston Herald.

"There can no longer be any question," writes a "down East" correspondent, "that the French are in Maine to stay. Their numbers are placed at about 55,000, half of whom are congregated in the manufacturing cities of Biddeford, Saco, Lewiston, Auburn, Waterville and Brunswick. When they arrive from Canada they are nearly always poor and unskilled, but they are quick to learn and are generally industrious enough to be valuable to their employers. Between 3,000 and 4,000 are owners of real estate, with property valued at something like $2,500,000.

Ex-Senator Sawyer of Wisconsin had both of his daughters trained to kitchen work as though he was a poor man. After serving a party of his friends to an excellent Thanksgiving dinner, and when the dessert was served, each of the daughters found under her plate a check for $25,000.

and wears aristocratic clothes.

Professor Goldwin Smith wrote an article on the American crisis, of a distinctly pessimistic sort, two weeks before our election. The professor gazed out at the struggles going on in these States with a mind sickled o'er with the pale cast of thought. Among the States which he placed in the doubtful column were California, Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, West Virginia, Minnesota and Maryland. All of which goes to show that hindsight is better than foresight.—New York Evening Sun.

HUMOROUS.

"Now, Johnny, what is the meaning of the word 'hypocrisy?'" asked a Texas Sunday School teacher of her favorite pupil, Jonnie Chaffie.

"I can't explain what it is, but I know just the same."

"Give me an example of hypocrisy."

"When a fellow says he loves the Sunday school teacher—that's hypocrisy."—Texas Siftings.

She was an intensely romantic girl. Her soul was ever occupied with yearnings for the unattainable.

"Why she hadn't been in the railway car ten minutes before she wanted the window opened."—Detroit Tribune.

It is really a wise man who so manages matters that it is his father who does the work of accumulating a fortune, and leaves himself free, as to time and effort, to disseminate the money.—Boston Transcript.

Master (addressing his Irish manservant)—Terrence, I'm going into the country to stay at my mother's place. If Mr. Dubley calls, tell him that I'll be back on Tuesday.

Terrence—Begorra, I will, sir! And (after a pause) what will I be after saying to him if he doesn't call, sor?—London Tit-Bits.

She was in a merry mood when her husband came home that evening.

"You have often said, dear," she remarked affectionately, "that women haven't any sense of humor."

"They haven't."

"You don't give us the credit we deserve. I'll admit that my sense of humor is not very great. But any faculty can be developed with cultivation."

"Have you been cultivating your sense of humor?"

"Yes."

"How did you go about it?"

"Do you remember that article in the paper of which you laughed so heartily last night?"

"No. I don't undertake to remember everything that amuses me."

"Well, I got it and read it. It was about how a woman goes out and buys bargains all day long and surprises her husband with bills for bonnets and makes him get her a sealskin sacque whether he wants to or not."

"Yes; I recall it now. So you have been cultivating your sense of humor by reading that?"

"Oh, I didn't stop with simply reading it."

"What—what did you do?" he inquired in a voice that was hoarse with apprehension.

"I went out this afternoon and bought bargains, just as the woman in the article did, and here's the bill for the bonnet. All that is needed now to make the joke complete is for me to accuse you for a sealskin sacque. And, don't you know, dear, I think it's all too delightfully funny for anything."—From the Detroit Free Press.

"The Populist movement might have more dignity if it had been supported by a single great State east of the Mississippi and north of the Ohio," says the Laurens (S. C.) Appeal. "The outcome indicates a reflected light—the little Utahs, Idahos and Wyomings—as little moons, receiving their light from the mighty orbs manipulated by Tillman, Evans, Watson and Morgan, and faintly shed through the mists of the mighty Mississippi. A verdict like this rendered by the strongest nation morally, and in fact physically, ends a matter. There is no appeal."

Trunks Packed to Order.

Things will soon be so ordered that women need never do anything at any time for any purpose they don't choose to do. They have now the perambulating manicure, the floating darner and duster, the woman who comes to remodel and furnish over and the woman who calls each day to water the house plants and nip off the dead leaves; the curler who cuts the children's bangs and the reader who keeps the mother informed on politics and brings her a ready made opinion about the latest novel. Now comes the trunk packer.

"When do you start?" is asked of a traveler.

"At 6; I have three-quarters of an hour yet," leisurely consulting her watch.

"But your packing; will you have time?" is the anxious inquiry.

"Plenty. I have an expert packer and will have nothing to do when I go upstairs but to put on my hat and coat."

The successful trunk packer must be a woman of no mean order of intelligence. She must be able to divine the most suitable places for articles, large and small, and possess discrimination enough to know just what to leave out and what to put in of her employer's effects. She must have the knack of folding sleeves so that they won't crush and of manipulating voluminous skirts in a satisfactory fashion. She must be certain not to put a chiffon waist under a cloth jacket or fold a velvet bodice so that its beaded trimming will press into the fabric and mar its freshness. Above all, she must possess a strong back, for the much-talked-of adjustable trunk brought out last year, with folded-under legs to elevate it for convenience, has proved a failure. The folded-under legs made it heavy and nobody would have it.—From the Chicago Chronicle.

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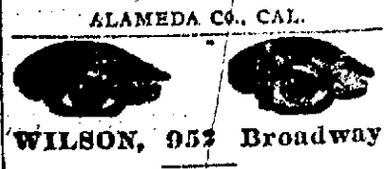

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He Is Frightened From a Home by a Lady's Clever Ruse.

There is a new tramp in town who has a new thing on the list of articles for which he begs. He wants a wife and has chosen the vicinity of Market street for his field of operations.

Saturday morning he made his strange request at a Filbert street residence. The servant girl had just left for the grocery to buy a yeast cake and a dozen eggs and the lady of the house was alone.

She happened to be in the kitchen when there was a knock at the back door, and thinking it was the butcher boy, she said "come in." The new tramp entered. He closed the door behind him to shut out the cold and looked at the lady.

"Well, what do you want?" she asked.

The visitor rubbed his hands by the fire and slowly replied, "any old thing." I want shoes, a shirt, a coat, something to eat, and I want a wife."

Mildly stated, the lady was frightened. The family revolver was in the second bureau drawer up stairs, and there was not a person in the house to save her perhaps from an unwilling matrimonial alliance. She had her presence of mind, however, and as coolly as possible she asked the caller how he expected to support a better half, at the same time opening the door leading to the back stairs. The tramp's reply was interrupted by the lady's call to a pretended person. "Tell your papa to come down and get his hot water for shaving, Allie," she said.

The tramp said nothing, but opened the door and quietly stole away.

COUNTY TAXES.

The First Instalment Becomes Delinquent Next Monday.

County Tax Collector Barber was as busy as ever this morning piling away the stacks of coin which his deputies were receiving for county taxes. The amount thus far collected by him of the first installment of taxes is $554,378. This installment of taxes will become delinquent at 6 o'clock tonight.

AS OTHERS SEE US.

The Oakland thieves who enter houses and carry away the furniture are not quite up to the New York work yet. In that progressive city the light-fingered gentry make a clean job by taking up the carpets and carting them away also. We are pleased to note that Alameda has not yet arrived at this progressive work.—Alameda Encinal.

The young Oakland lady who is heartbroken because of the frailty and perfidy of the young man she was engaged to marry, should cheer up and rejoice that she should have discovered his true character before marriage.—Los Angeles Express.

A Chance for Teachers

Superintendent of Schools McClymonds is today mailing to the teachers of the department a notification that the railroad company will give a two-thirds rebate to such of them as attend the annual meeting of the California State Teachers' Association, to be held in San Jose, commencing December 28th. Special rates have also been made with the hotels.

If you buy starch and ammonia in the same can with your baking powder you needn't be so careful about keeping it dry. Choose between adulteration with carelessness and purity with a little prudence. Choose between others and **Trophy**

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MUSICAL MATTERS.

A Charming Lot of Concerts Being Given in Oakland.

MANY MORE ON THE LIST.

The Goodsell Musicale is to Occur This Evening.

ARTISTS ARE ALL BUSY.

Good Numbers Given by the Friday Morning Club.

There has been very little to chronicle in the musical world so far as Oakland is concerned, during the past week. This evening the postponed concert will be given by the Misses Goodsell in Reed Music Hall, on Thirteenth and Harrison streets, and it promises to be of more than ordinary interest.

Both young ladies are favorites in the musical and social circles, and the attendance should be large. They will be assisted by some of the best talent, though they could easily give a full entertainment by themselves.

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Alex T. Stewart has refused the offer lately made him to take charge of the music in the Centenary Methodist Church of Chicago, Rev. A. C. Hirst, pastor, and which was announced in the musical column of the Tribune at the time. Mr. Stewart could have had the position, if he would have agreed to a permanent residence in Chicago, which he was not yet ready to do, Oakland ties being too strong. He will spend the season in hard musical study, largely consisting of a study of the orchestral conducting methods of Theodore Thomas and chorus work with W. L. Tomlins. Violin, theory and vocal studies, with the best instructors, will also be pursued. Mr. Stewart expects to return to Oakland in time for the opening of next year's musical season.

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It was a short but excellent programme which was presented before the Friday Morning Club last week. Miss Caroline Little, who was in unusually good voice, sang a couple of little love songs charmingly, "Thine" and "I Ask Thee Not." Miss Mabel Cohen of Alameda gave two piano solos, Scarlatti's "Siciliano" and "Tempo di Ballo." Miss Margie Gaskill sang very sweetly Rubenstein's "Since First I Met Thee."

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There was some very good music at the poster show in Ebell Hall the other evening, although the noise and talking of the crowd certainly taxed the vocalists' patience and voices. Rickard was in excellent voice and sang splendidly. He was encored twice and was most generous in his responses.

The noise certainly detracted a little from Miss Gretchen Bernett's rendition. Her sweet, rich tones showed that she was making an effort to be heard. In her encore, Tosti's "Could I," the audience was quieter and her singing was as charming and richly sympathetic as ever.

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Honors were divided between Miss Sofia Newland and Miss Esther Needham at the musicale in Masonic Hall Thursday evening. Their solos were exquisite, and both won encores. The duo given by the two young ladies fully deserved the warm applause it won. Their voices blended perfectly, and were true and pure in tone. It was a delightful selection, and the encore was warmly given.

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W. J. McCoy of Santa Barbara has assumed the leadership of the First Congregational Church Orchestra. He hails from Santa Barbara with the best of recommendations, and will prove an important addition to the orchestra.

The regular rehearsals will be resumed Tuesday evenings, and already the orchestra is figuring on a concert to be given soon.

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Alfred Wilkie's opera, "Heroes of '76," is to receive an elaborate production at the California Theater on Friday evening next. It is given under the auspices of a large number of patriotic American societies in conjunction with the French colony of San Francisco.

Alfred Wilkie assumes the role of "Roger, the gallant and heroic," while his son, Master Fred Wilkie, takes the part of "The Little Corporal." A large chorus will also assist.

As the title indicates, the opera deals with the military happenings of Continental times. The closing numbers comprise solos and choruses of rejoicing at the happy result of the long conflict for independence, and a grand tableau of General Washington and General Lafayette, with personations of America, Victory and Peace, concluding with the singing of "America" by principals, chorus and audience.

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On Thursday night, December 3d, at the Macdonough Theater, we are to make the acquaintance of Mme. Bloomfield-Zeisler, a pianist who has already had a reputation everywhere else. Mme. Bloomfield-Zeisler has won some extraordinary praise. The New York Tribune says of her: "She is an artist whose career it has been a pleasure to watch, for it has been one of steady growth on lines which are wholly sound and freed from all of the adventitious or sensational. Her triumphs in Germany were not only genuine, but so brilliant as to lift her into the front rank of concert giving piano forte players into a land peculiarly rich in pianists of both sexes. Aggressive virtuosi who were the bodyguard of Liszt in his last years, professors from the conservatories of the Fatherland and brilliant fledglings from Vienna and Paris vied with the little woman from Chicago, but she has maintained herself against them all and fairly divided some of the highest honors of the concert room only with Paderewski and the musical woman, also from America, Mme. Carreno."

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Ellen Beach Yaw, who appears shortly at the Macdonough Theater, has one of the most wonderful voices on record. The most remarkable point about Yaw's singing is that she sings in her lower register with the breadth of a contralto; it is full of sympathy and the quality is most excellent. She trills in her high register so clearly and with such purity of tone that one listens breathlessly.

From her infancy Miss Ellen Beach Yaw evinced a decided taste for music, and at four years of age she was known to her family and friends by the sobriquet of "Prima Donna." No special attention was given to her voice until she was six years of age, when a quartette of musicians, hearing of little "Ellen Yaw," asked and were granted permission to teach her the then popular song, "Way Down in Maine." In an old fashioned sunbonnet and gingham dress she made her first bow to the public and electrified her audience.

Now she outclasses Patti in both range and compass, while some musical critics are of the opinion that she does equally as well in execution.

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Monday Italo Campanini, the great tenor, died at his home near Parma. Italo Campanini was one of the greatest tenors of the century. He sang in every country in Christendom, and at the zenith of his career created a furor equaled by but few of the great artists. In addition to a magnificent natural voice, he enjoyed the advantage of a training that made him a master of vocalization. There was probably no singer known who better understood the methods of tone production or who employed them with better results. Even when with advanced years his voice lost that sweetness and purity which had won plaudits from great audiences, Campanini still commanded the admiration of his listeners by the artistic handling of his voice.

Signor Campanini made several tours in America, appearing in nearly all the principal Eastern cities, meeting with universal success. He visited San Francisco several years ago, appearing in concert at the Grand Opera House. Although then possessing but the echo of the voice which had made his name famous the world over, he had still the power to thrill lovers of music.

A number of years ago Campanini purchased an estate near Parma, Italy, not far from that of the great composer Verdi, and it was there that the great tenor's life passed. THE TENOR.

MUSICAL WORSHIP.

Excellent Services Being Given at St. Paul's.

The evening services at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Harrison and Fourteenth streets, are one of the attractions of devotional service in this city. There is no form of worship more impressive than that which has for a basis choice classical music. Music is the highest form of worship; it touches the heart when other forms fail to make an impression. Nature is full of music from the sweet, sighing zephyrs which murmur plaintive minor strains among the pines, or dally with Aeolian harp strings of flowering shrubbery and trailing vines to the deep toned organ notes of old ocean and the battle hymns of the storm. Music is nature's worship, and without it worship is cold and soulless.

The vested choir of St. Paul's, reinforced by the sweet voices of thirteen young ladies, under the masterly direction of Prof. Bartlett, together with the able and interesting discourses of the rector, Rev. Robt. Ritchie, has given new life to the evening services of the church, attracting large audiences, especially the young people of the city. These musical and intellectual religious treats are permanent features of the church service.

The Sunday School of the church has also adopted music as one of its chief attractions and with success. B.

CLEVER SINGERS.

Mrs. Eva Wren's Concert Was a Very Flattering Success.

The concert given by Mrs. Eva Wren in Centennial Church was a success of which Mrs. Wren may justly be proud, as the seating capacity of the church was taxed to its utmost and the audience unusually appreciative.

Miss Ethel Fleming opened the programme by a very effective rendition of Chopin's "Grande Valse, op. 42." Miss Retena Owens is a dramatic reader new to Oakland audiences; her manner is pleasing and her voice agreeable. The feature of the evening was the violin playing of Mr. Llewellyn Hughes, who displayed a mastery over his instrument and a sympathy with the composer that promise well for his future. The whistling of Miss Mary E. Gray was very artistic and greatly enjoyed. Miss Esther Needham was in excellent voice and the rich tones of her deep contralto were heard to advantage in the "Cradle Song," by Vannah and the encore, "Celeste."

Messrs. H. A. Melvin and D. M. Lawrence, who are always prime favorites, sang their solos in their usual happy manner, and the Mendelssohn Quartette, composed of D. M. Lawrence, E. E. Brangs, H. H. Lawrence and H. A. Melvin, was especially enjoyable as the voices blend in such perfect harmony.

Mrs. Wren has seldom sang better, and her rich voice was heard to especial advantage in the "Song of the Dove," by Von Suppe, given with a violin obligato by Mr. Hughes. The able accompanists were Miss Mabel Hussey, Mrs. D. M. Lawrence and William B. King.

CATHOLIC CHAT.

Cadets of St. Patrick's Parish to Have a Meeting.

Company F., Cadets of St. Patrick's parish has become attached to the League of the Cross and the members have determined to secure uniforms and equipments for themselves as soon as possible. For this purpose a Committee on Ways and Means was recently appointed for the purpose of deciding on a plan of action. This Committee consists of Captain Hynes, Lieutenant Higgins, First Sergeant Flynn and Privates Drake, Sheehan, Long and McQuaid. These members at once set about securing the services of Rev P. C. Yorke for a lecture and were successful in their efforts. Germania Hall, Webster street, between Sixth and Seventh streets, Oakland, has been secured for the occasion and the lecture will take place on Wednesday evening, December 9th. Father Yorke has not yet selected a subject for his remarks, but the address will undoubtedly be an interesting one and well worth attending.

A grand concert will be given at Reeds' Hall, Ebell Building, Oakland, next Friday evening in aid of the uniform fund of the League of the Cross Cadets, connected with the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Oakland. Rev. Father Browne, who has charge of the affair, has engaged some of the very best talent from Oakland and San Francisco to participate. The price of admission has been placed at twenty-five cents.

The regular quarterly rally of the St. Francis de Sales Oakland Branch of the League of the Cross is to be held in the hall connected with St. Francis' Church on Tuesday evening, December 8th. An interesting programme will be presented.

DALTON'S RETURN.

He Will Start in a Few Days for the Pacific Coast.

County Assessor Henry Dalton is still in New York. When last heard from, he wrote to the effect that he would leave that place with his uncle for this city on the 21st inst. If he had left on that date, he would have arrived here before this. It is expected now, if his uncle, who is sick, is able to make the journey, that the trip will be undertaken on Monday next.

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HE LAUGHS AT THE TALES.

The Astronomers, He Said, Have Not Noted Anything Unusual.

WHAT THE WATCHERS SAW.

He Says the Present Theories Are All Pure Fakes.

There is one confirmed skeptic in regard to the airship. He is Professor Burckhalter of the Chabot Observatory. His time has been taken up lately by persons who are anxious to view the aerial machine through the telescope. Many persons have advanced the theory that the airship is a clever advertising dodge of some gas company that is trying to boom a new kind of illuminating gas. Professor Burckhalter laughs at this theory as well as others.

"If there were any airship I would turn the telescope on it, you may be sure," said Prof. Burckhalter today. "What people have been taking for the brilliant electric light of an airship is nothing more or less than one of the two planets, Mars or Venus. People want to believe in the airship, and it is astonishing the way they deceive themselves. Venus is as brilliant as an arc light and does move very slowly through the heavens. Anyone who pays a little attention to the heavens might be deceived into believing it an electric light gleaming through the clouds. Last Saturday night when there was such excitement over the airship, what people were looking at was the planet Mars, which appeared very brilliant that evening.

The theories in regard to the airship are pure imagination. If there were any strange objects in the heavens, we would certainly know of it, and all these theories are, I believe, pure fakes."

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In this day of vaudeville, an attraction that can boast of five exceedingly strong specialties in connection with a melodrama that is known from one end of the country to the other is bound to demand attention from the theater-going public. Such an attraction is Katie Emmett in "The Waifs of New York," which appears at the Macdonough this evening and Tuesday night.

Among the well known specialty artists in the company are Harry Weston, one of the best German dialect comedians in the country; Jenny Engel, one of Tony Pastor's favorite cards; D'Arville Sisters, from the Alhambra, London; Baby Isabelle, the youngest child on the stage, being only four years old, and merry Katie Emmett in her latest budget of songs.

Miss Emmett's impersonation of Willie Rufus, a New York newsboy, is said to be a unique and distinct characterization, and one that places her at the head of her profession in this line of work. Her performance is so natural and winning that even the boys of the gallery come to look upon Miss Emmett as their particular friend and champion. Recently in Detroit the Newsboys' Band connected with the Daily News, serenaded Miss Emmett at the Cadillac Hotel, and then attended the performance in a body, and their enthusiasm was something wonderful to see. The boys of the Waifs' Mission at Chicago are indebted to Miss Emmett for many an enjoyable evening and substantial dinner, and invariably speak of her as "Our Katie," a title that Miss Emmett is justly proud of.

COMING ATTRACTIONS.

Fanny Bloomfield-Zeisler's piano recital at the Macdonough Theater next Thursday evening will be a red letter event in art circles. She is acknowledged to be one of the greatest performers in the world, and has attracted the attention of the whole musical world. The sale of seats opened this morning with a big rush. Prices range from 25 cents to $1.50.

Matt Grau, the opera manager, is here, making arrangements for the presentation at an early date of his operatic company. It numbers fifty stars and is the finest organization of its kind in America.

THE OAKLAND.

"The White Squadron" is the attraction at the Oakland Theater this evening, and the A. Y. Pearson company is prepared to give a very elaborate production of the thrilling naval drama. John Pierson, who by the way, is not related to the manager of the company, interprets the title role. He is a very clever actor, who has won many honors in the East and on the coast. The other participants in the cast comprise all new faces and include a number of excellent people who played most acceptable parts in "The Land of the Midnight Sun."

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Among the arrivals on the Australia at Honolulu November 17th was Miss Elsa Goess of Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jacobs of 963 Oak street, Oakland, are entertaining Mrs. Virgil Dillon and Miss Golden of St. Louis, Mr., during the holidays.

Rev. E. E. Hamand has returned from a visit to Southern California.

Miss Dora Craig has gone to Los Gatos where she will spend the winter.

Miss Eva Peabody is visiting Miss Edna Moody at Collinsville.

Roger Prior has returned from San Luis Obispo.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pope of San Francisco were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Beach for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Prosser gave a Thanksgiving dinner party to a few friends. Prominent among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. Hassard.

Miss Lucy Cummings, who is spending a few weeks in Sacramento, was tendered a very pleasant party by her friends of that place at the home of Mrs. Weymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Longley, parents of Mrs. Whitaker, Mr. John Longley and Miss Clara Dale of Mountain View, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Longley and daughter, little Miss Mabel, of San Francisco, were the guests of Rev. and Mrs. Robert Whitaker during this week.

Miss Addie Manse of Seventeenth avenue will leave for Ada, Ohio, the first part of next week to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. John Rautze.

Mrs. T. B. Coghill gave a violet luncheon last week in honor of Mrs. Le Grande Tibbetts. Among the guests were Mrs. Folger, Mrs. Ralston, Mrs. L. Kempff, Mrs. Edwin Goodall, Mrs. H. M. A. Miller. Mrs. Tibbetts leaves for the East early in December.

Mrs. Henrietta E. Kellogg and John B. Foster were married Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. and Mrs. John Thompson.

Miss Josephine W. Brown and Francis M. Cerini were married at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Williams, 1803 Market street, Thursday evening. The decorations were very elaborate. The bride was attended by Miss Elsie Thomas and Miss Alice Williams. William Cerini officiated as best man. The bride is the only daughter of James E. Brown of Salem, Oregon. After a short wedding tour, Mr. and Mrs. Cerini will make their home in this city.

Rev. C. H. Hobart was the officiating clergyman at the wedding of Miss Gertrude M. Davis and Joseph A. Peters Wednesday evening. The ceremony was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, 653 Fourteenth street. Miss Harriet Davis was maid of honor and Dr. F. C. Newton of San Francisco was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Peters will make their home in San Francisco.

Miss Beulah Honk was given a very pleasant surprise party Friday evening at the home of her parents, 531 Simpson avenue. Those present were Anna Franck, Maggie Franck, Grace Monroe, Helen Watkins, Willa Sill, Clara Carr, Anna Clark, Hazel Day, Rowena Porterfield, Elsie Noyes, Mary Noyes, Rachel Ward, Hazel Clark and Jennie Gage, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Carr, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Gilbert, Herbert Cramer, Willie Rouse, Fred Ward, Fred Campbell, Lloyd Kent, Folsom Clark, Wilfred McCutcheon, H. Hook, Edgar Sanborn, Willie Kruckle, Chester Noyes, Henry Carr.

The Misses Jennie and Edith White gave a pink luncheon at their home last Tuesday. Among those present were: Misses Alice Tickhardt, Blanche Nicholsen, Kate E. Truett, May Winthrop, Susie Sheldon, Jennie Johnson, Lettie Fredrickson, Annie Moore, Susie Morse, Florence Sands, Belle Townsend and Messrs. John English, Robert Anthony, Sam Klaiser, H. Baxter, Gus Elfandahl, Martin Oliver, E. Kessler, Nathan Mills and Frank Darling.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chester of 1176 East Twenty-first street entertained a party of friends at dinner Thanksgiving Day. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. August Groff, Mr. and Mrs. William Tate, Dr. and Mrs. John W. Ellis, Mrs. Hornick, Miss Greer, Miss Kate Hall, Miss Schmidt, Miss Haywood, Miss Ada Haywood, Mrs. M. F. Ruggles, Ed Chester, Mr. and Mrs. A. Mitchell and Mr. Warful.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Edwards celebrated their golden wedding anniversary yesterday at their home, 1066 Thirtieth street. The reception was informal, and was attended by many friends of the old couple. Edwards is 75 years of age, and his wife is but two years his junior. They were both born at Dolgay, a village seven miles from Aberystwith, and lived there through their childhood days. Mrs. Edwards was Miss Mary Jones, and it was at Aberdare, Glamorganshire, that the marriage took place on November 29, 1846. The couple spent six years in Wales, and in 1853 came to the United States. They settled first in Iowa, and for ten years made it their home. In 1863 they moved to Austin, Nev., and Edwards became interested in mining. They made the Sagebrush State their home until eight years ago, when they came to Oakland to reside. Edwards engaged in business for a couple of years, but four years ago purchased the Thirtieth street cottage, where he expects to end his days. Twelve children, seven girls and five boys, blessed the union, and all except one of the girls survive. The sons are all residents of Nevada, and most of them are engaged in mining.

Hon. J. R. McCoy, President of the Pitcairn Island, arrived in Oakland on the brig Pitcairn. He is the ruler of the small island with its 130 subjects, who are all Adventists. President McCoy is Chief Executive and Judge, and has a Parliament of seven men. He has been the ruler for a number of years, and is highly esteemed by his subjects. The Adventists of this city have given President McCoy a reception since his arrival in this city.

The Week's Failures.

The Bradstreet Mercantile Agency reports seventeen failures for the Pacific Coast States and Territories for the week ending Saturday, as compared with thirteen for the previous week and thirty-two for the corresponding week of 1895. The failures are divided among the trades as follows: Two commission, one butcher, two fruit growers, one general store, one grocer, one lumber, one notions, one oils, one jewelery, three saloons, two hotels, one drugs.

Recreant.

He ran down the gang plank and kissed her.

"Henry," she exclaimed, "where is the poodle?"

"Dearest," he said, "it fell overboard."

She wrung her hands.

"Why did the steamer not stop to rescue it?"

"They only stop to save human life," he explained.

"Then, Henry, why didn't you jump overboard?"—Life.

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Christian Endeavor Work.

The Alameda County Christian Endeavor Union will meet next Monday evening at 8 P. M., in the Y. M. C. A. Building. This meeting was postponed for two weeks, on account of the reception to Secretary Baer, which occurred on the night of the regular meeting.

The Oakland City Christian Endeavor Union held its meeting last Monday evening, and in spite of the rain a great deal was done. The reports of the committee were received, and the committee on a Waifs' Home was instructed to solicit subscriptions to carry on the work and to find suitable quarters and report at the next meeting for organization.

The Associated Charities asked that the Oakland Endeavorers assist in the distribution of Thanksgiving cheer to the worthy poor, and a committee was appointed, consisting of Miss Clift, Mr. Gilbert and Mr. Wall, to collect the necessary articles and to assist in the good work.

Reports of the Thanksgiving distribution show that about 100 families were provided with groceries to last a week.

The topic for Sunday was, "How to Strengthen Our Faith in Christianity."

In the talk on the topic for the "Golden Rule" Arthur W. Kelly tells us that "Christianity rests at last on historical facts. It's own history, too," he asserts, "is one of the proofs of its truth. By their fruits systems, as well as men, are known. The history of heathenism is its own judgment. There are blots on the chronicles of the church, but they are not the outgrowth of the church's principles. Islam is known by the sword, the Christian by his love to his fellows.

"Christian faith can no more be rightly studied from without than a pictured window can be judged from outside. It is the heart and not the head that finds the truth. If we would strengthen our faith, we must do it through experience. If we act on the faith we have, we shall gain more. If we would know, we must do. Personal acceptance of Christ is the way to know him; doing his work with him is the surest way of strengthening faith in him."

At the Australian Convention, recently held in Sydney, the Rev. Silas Mead was appointed delegate from the Australia Christian Endeavor Union to the '97 San Francisco Convention.

Delegates from other places are also making arrangements with their transportation managers to come here at that time.

During the past year, English Endeavorers have added to the national register about 1,000 new societies, the last number on the list being 3,693. These societies contain 159,881 Endeavorers. For the larger denominations, the numbers of societies are the following: Baptist, 917; Congregational, 932; Presbyterian, 311; Episcopal, 19; Wesleyan, 82; Primitive Methodist, 256; United Methodist Free Church, 227; Methodist New Connection, 175; Bible Christian, 61; Friends, 10; Moravians, 16.

A cheering fact is that, though only 2,636 societies reported on the matter, from these societies 9,052 Endeavorers have joined the church during the past year.

In speaking of the Missionary Roll of Honor, Secretary Baer said, "Upon it are the names of over 5,869 Young People's Societies and 2,331 Junior Societies, from thirty-five States, seven Territories, seven provinces, four foreign lands. These societies have given $154,022.68 through their own denominational boards to the cause of foreign and home missions. In addition to this amount, which has been given by these 8,200 societies that we have enrolled upon the roll of honor, we find that $296,150.21 has been given by those same societies for Christ and the church in other ways, making a total of $360,172.89, the largest amounts given by any one society being $1,107.01, by the Clarendon Street Baptist Society of Boston, and a little over $1,000 by the Calvary Presbyterian Society of Buffalo, N. Y.

"Let me make it plain that the $154,022.68 given directly to the Mission Boards by the eight thousand societies, and their gifts of $296,150.21 for other benevolences, represent only the record of the societies that have asked to be enrolled upon the 'missionary roll of honor'."

Christmas is near, and you Endeavorers are wondering what you can give to your friends for Christmas presents. A very inexpensive present would be the "Golden Rule." From now until July 8, 1897, the date of the convention, it is only 50 cents. This would not only be a good gift, but would serve also to prepare one's friend for the convention.

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9:37 a	Martinez and Stockton	10:44 a
9:37 a	Vallejo	5:45 p
†2:01 p	Port Costa and way stations	7:14 p
4:34 p	Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, El Verano, Santa Rosa, Martinez and San Ramon	8:45 a
4:38 p	Benicia, Vacaville, Woodland, Knight's Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento	11:14 a
5:10 p	Los Angeles Express, Stockton, Fresno, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara and Los Angeles	9:40 a
5:10 p	Santa Fe Route, Atlantic Express for Mojave and East	9:40 a
6:40 p	European Mail, Ogden and East	9:43 a
‡7:36 p	Vallejo	‡7:14 p
7:36 p	Oregon Express, Sacramento, Marysville, Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and East	10:44 a
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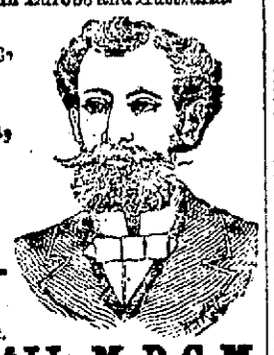

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Oakland Firms Responsible for Doing Up the Combine.

HOW IT ALL HAPPENED.

A Cargo of Redwood Is Sold to the Boycotted Firms.

That the big lumber trust, which nearly succeeded in tying up all the redwood output of the State is broken is due largely to the action of four Oakland firms which succeeded, not only in holding out against the wealthy combine, but in taking away much of the business.

It was but a short time ago that the entering wedge was lodged that has broken the whole scheme. At that time the Oakland firms which were boycotted by the big dealers, managed to find a somewhat obscure company from which to buy, and the opportunity was immediately improved.

At the outstart it was aimed to corner the redwood market and by the cooperation of all the mills with the lumber firms, this could have been done. A uniform price, 30 per cent above the then prevailing schedule was to be enforced and a greater profit thus obtained.

The scheme was carried through and seven out of eleven of the Oakland companies joined. The outsiders were the Humboldt Company, Taylor & Co., Oakland and Washington Companies.

These, under the leadership of Hogan Bros., of the Humboldt, determined to fight the thing to a finish and undersell their brethren in trade. In retaliation the combined firms refused to allow the Oakland belligerents to buy any more of the red-wood which they controlled, though the acute competition in Oregon and other places forbade holding out on pine.

The Humboldt company placed a very large order for red-wood as soon as the talk began and settled down with enough to last out the year at least. Where the trust price was 30 per cent higher the others cut 10 per cent below the old schedule, and as a consequence obtained much of the trade.

This was all right as long as it lasted, but the heavy drain soon reduced the available redwood supply and then a desperate stand was necessary.

Taylor & Co and the Hogans hunted for a weak firm in the trust, and by offering good inducements were sold a ship load of lumber. This is where the trust started to totter, and through the efforts of the Oaklanders has at last been completely destroyed. Now all are on an equal footing and no one thinks of maintaining combine prices.

Instead of working an injury to the boycotted firms, the combination has been helping along their business materially, and some are sorry that it does not still continue. During the time lumber was sent from here to San Francisco, San Jose, Sacramento and surrounding cities, for the price was less than asked in those places by other firms.

This is the inside of the failure of the lumber trust, which has now been in existence almost a year, and it was due to Oaklanders, representing a few hundred thousand dollars of capital, that the big State organization with millions behind it, was forced to suspend.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1896.

Alvah Gates to Adelaide Bingham, N 33d or Nolan 157-0¼ E Grove st E 37-6 S N 100-55 being the W 25 ft lot 22 and E 12-6 of 23 Collins tract; $1,500

H. N. and Eliza J. McChesney to Ella N. Harman, lots 15 and 16 map of sub Lake Merritt Park subj to a mtge for $5,100; $10

Florence A Lawton to John G. Klumpke, S Charter or E 25th st 277-6 E 15th av E 50 x S 140 being lots 12 and 13 blk 81, map of northern addn to Bklyn, re-record of 593 d 111, $20.

George and Anna E Lydiksen to Henry Valentine, lots 38 and 39 map of Piedmont Villa tract, $10.

Frank H., F M., Anna M. and Emma L Buck to Anna M Buck, NW cor 8th and Adeline sts N 265-8½ W 156.5 N 58 E 156 6 S 58 to beg, $10.

Beulah Park Camp Meeting Assn (a corporation) to Aurlie Reagan, wife of John, lot 213 blk N; lots 72 to 76, 61 to 65 blk E, map of Beulah Park ppty, $10

Minerva J. Sweeney to Andrew H. Kitchen, lot 7 blk X Paradise Park, $10

Maria A. De la L Bon to Mary E. Chauche, N W Telegraph av and 37th st N 150 W 813-9 S 150 E 820 to beg, ptn L B. Bon tract; $10.

Richard Paasch to Frank and Alvina Glaser, lots 5 and 6 blk 26 map of I M Wentworth Boot & Shoe Co.'s tract, subject to a mtge for $400, $10.

A. F. Gomes to Bonifacius Haas, lot 12 map of Bellina tract, Haywards, $10

Jas. F. and Maria Ford to Clara B Stanwood, all of blk 23 N addn to town of Livermore; $10.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1896

J. L. Lyon to W H. Latourette, S 6th st 100 E Harrison E 37-6 x S 100 being lot 10 and W ½ lot 11 blk 58, $10

Oscar L. and Frances E. Knowles to Katie B. Doran, W Myrtle st 128 S 28th st S 25 x W 123-6 being lot 16 blk 654, Keene tract, subj to a mtge for $700; $10

Martha V. Linde to Wm. D. and Addie G. Macdonald, N W-5th st 103-3 W Adeline W 25 x N 101 being lot 5 blk 488, Briggs tract map 2; $10.

Mary E. Selzer to Thos. P. Maloney, E 23d av 100 NE from NE E-17th NE 50 x SE 135 being ptn lot 2 blk J, sub 50 Associates tract, $5.

Oscar F. Sites to F. A. and Mary A. Pollard, NE Park av and Watts st 590 W from W San Pablo av 11 60 N 125 W 60 S 125 to beg being ptn plot 6 Ro V and D Peralta, $10.

N. B. Byrne to Simon Fischel and Jacob Baum, E Walnut st 346 N Rose st N 50 x E 135 being lot 8 blk 22, being ptn Bkly Villa tract, $100

L. C. and Miriam Morehouse to Helen M. Wettstein, lot 213 map of the Rose tract, $5.

Bonifacius Haas to Anton E., Enos and Mary E Costa, lots 10 and 12 map of Bellina tract, $1,050

Peter P. Castro to Jennie C. Connor, NW Ward av and lands of R. S. Farrelly, th NW 147 x SW 73 ft being ptn Ro San Leandro town of San Leandro; $10.

John Fields to Antonio Fields, und 1-7 int 3 acres beg at a stake distant 7 chs NW from NW line road San Leandro to Andrews Landing as traveled in 1867 th NW 7 chs x SW 4.31 chs city of San Leandro; $10.

Pacific Improvement Co. to Susanna Prunty, lot 18 blk 66 town of Niles, $175

Alexander and Mary A. Robinson to Thos. Bedard, all int 100.98 acres beg at Station No 26 of survey No. 33 of lands of ex-Mission San Jose at corner common to tract hereby described and sub D of lands of estate of Joshua Wauhab, deceased, th SE 5.45 chs SE 6 chs SE 29 11 chs SW 13.69 chs NW 9 50 NW 4.50 chs NW 8.50 chs NW 15.97 NW 3 70 chs NW 4 60 chs NW 8.26 chs NW 1.69 chs NW 3 62 chs, th along lands of H. Pierce NE 5.05 chs SE 8.40 chs SE 1.80 chs SE 2.70 chs SE 5 50 chs NE 2.30 chs NE 4 chs to stake marked "26" at the point of beg being sub A of lands of estate Joshua Wauhab, deceased, $1,500.

Leslie D. and Maggie D. Coombs to Jennie Jacobs, wife Aaron, E Harrison 1442 N Central av N 52 x E 150 being ptn lot 13 Alice Park ppty subj to a mtge; $10.

John W. and Fannie M. Butler to Kathe G. and Margaret L. Perine, W Oak st 70 N 5th st N 30 x W 75 blk 128; $10.

Edward and Mary A. Hackett, Mack and Nettie Webber to H. P Merritt, all int W Madison 100 N 13th st N 100 x W 150 being lots 12 to 18 blk 106, blk 28 bounded by E 11th st E-12th st 2d and 3d avs; S W-5th st 67 E Adeline S 97-3 E 187 N 97 W 187 to beg, $10.

Thos. W. and as atty. and Jane A. Badger, by atty., to Ersiglia De Bonis, SE Park Way 120 NE E-9th st NE 30 x SE 60, being lot 26 blk 11, Clinton; $10.

Mary J. Moss, Jessie E. and Perry H Auseon, Lulu S. and Wm. L. Taylor to Camella Young, lot 13 blk 7 map of the Moss tract; $10.

H. C. Morris to Mrs. A. B. Huntington, E Walnut st 220 N Mountain View av E 150 N 41-8 W 150 S 45-4 to beg, being lot 1 blk 9, Warner tract, $10.

Jas. Kerwan to H. B. Pinney, lot 38 and ½ lot 37 blk C Melrose station tract; $10.

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CITY TAXES, 1896.

Notice is Hereby Given that the Assessment Roll for City Taxes for the Year 1896, on all Property in the City of Oakland Has Been Received by Me.

That the taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property, is now due and payable at my office, room 5, City Hall, Oakland, every day (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) during office hours, and will be delinquent on the last Monday in November, 1896, at 6 o'clock P. M., and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof; and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April next, at 6 o'clock P. M., an additional five per cent will be added thereto.

That the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the first Monday in January next, and will be delinquent on the last Monday in April next, thereafter, at 6 o'clock P. M., and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

That all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

Z. T. GILPIN,

Tax Collector of the City of Oakland.

Oakland, California, November 13th, 1896.

LEGAL

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

THE UNION SAVINGS BANK (a Corporation), Plaintiff, vs. A. C. FREESE, Public Administrator, etc., et al., Defendants. No. 12,729.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, of the State of California, on the 5th day of November, A. D. 1896, in the above entitled action, wherein the Union Savings Bank (a corporation), the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against A. C. Freese, Public Administrator of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and administrator of the estate of James H Munson, deceased, defendants, on the 19th day of October, A. D 1896, for the sum of seven hundred and sixty-two and 59-100 dollars, in United States gold coin, including interest and costs of suit, which said judgment and decree was, on the 5th day of November, A. D 1896, recorded in Judgment Book 27 of said Court, at page 111, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, in the Township of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and described as follows.

Beginning at a point on the western line of Humboldt avenue, distant thereon forty-six (46) feet and seven (7) inches northerly from the northern line of Oregon street; thence at a right angle westerly one hundred and thirteen (113) feet and four (4) inches; thence at a right angle northerly forty-four (44) feet and ten (10) inches, thence at a right angle easterly one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet and ten (10) inches to the said westerly line of Humboldt avenue, and thence southerly along said line of Humboldt avenue forty-six (46) feet and six (6) inches to the point of beginning; being lot number 2 in block "G" as the same are delineated and so designated upon a certain map entitled "Map of the Leonard Tract, Berkeley," filed September 17, 1875, in Liber 5 of Maps, page 11, in the office of the County Recorder of said Alameda County, together with the tenements and appurtenances and hereditaments thereon.

Public notice is hereby given that on

TUESDAY, THE 1ST DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 1896,

At ten o'clock A. M. of that day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Oakland, Nov. 5, 1896

W. S. HARLOW,

A Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.

A. A. MOORE, Attorney for Plaintiff.

PROPOSALS for repairing Engine House Number Four.

Department of Public Works, City Hall, Oakland, Cal, Nov. 28, 1896.

In pursuance with the order of the Board of Public Works, sealed proposals will be received in open session of the Board of Public Works, at their office in the City Hall, on Wednesday, the 9th day of December, 1896, from 10 to 11 o'clock A. M., for repairing Engine House Number Four of the Fire Department of the City of Oakland, situated on the south side of East Fourteenth street, between 12th and 13th avenues, in the City of Oakland, all work done and materials furnished to be in strict accordance with the plans and specifications for said repairs now on file in the office of the Department of Public Works, to which reference is hereby made for full particulars and description of said repairs and materials to be used or employed in the construction of the said repairs and to be under the supervision of F. D Voorhees, the authorized architect for said repairs.

The said work to be commenced within five days and be completed within thirty days after entering into contract for said repairs.

All work done and materials furnished to be subject to the approval and to the satisfaction of the Board of Public Works.

All bids must be made upon the blank forms of the Board, which will be furnished upon application, by the Secretary.

All bids must be accompanied by a check certified by some responsible bank, made payable to the order of J. W Tompkins, Clerk of the Council, for not less than ten per cent of the proposal, which check shall be forfeited to the City of Oakland should the bidder receiving the award fail within 5 days to enter into a contract and furnish a good and sufficient bond in the sum of $375.00 for the faithful performance of the same.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Board of Public Works.

N. W. SPAULDING JR., Secretary.

Notice to Creditors.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Daniel Brannan, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, William A. Fine, administrator of the estate of Daniel Brannan, deceased, to all the creditors and persons having claims against said estate, that they are required to present and exhibit their claims with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator, at his residence, number 984 Myrtle street, Oakland, the same being his place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the said County and State.

WILLIAM A. FINE,

Administrator of the estate of Daniel Brannan, deceased.

HARRIS & HESS, Att'ys for Administrator, Mills B'ld'g, 8th Floor, Room 4, San Francisco, California.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Thomas Smith (alias Thomas F. Smith), deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executor of the estate of Thomas Smith, otherwise known as Thomas F. Smith, deceased to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said executor at the office of M. Cooney, Esq., rooms 102 and 103, Phelan Building, San Francisco, Cal, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

MICHAEL SMITH,

Executor of the estate of said Thomas Smith, deceased.

Dated Oakland, Nov. 23d, 1896.

M COONEY, Esq, Phelan Building, San Francisco, Attorney for Executor.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Ellen M. McLaughlin, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executors of the will of Ellen M. McLaughlin, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executors, at the law office of B. McFadden, Esq., No. 906 Broadway St., Oakland, Cal., which said office the undersigned select as their place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said Ellen M. McLaughlin, deceased.

ANTONIO FONTE,

MICHAEL CALLAHAN,

Executors of the will of Ellen M. McLaughlin, deceased.

Dated Oakland, November 26, 1896.

B. McFADDEN, 906 Broadway St., Oakland, Cal., Attorney for Executors.

LEGAL

ORDINANCE NO —An Ordinance establishing the official curb grades on certain streets in the City of Oakland, to-wit: On College avenue between Webster street and Broadway, on Academy place between College avenue and Edwards street.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland, as follows:

SECTION I.

The official curb grades on College avenue between the western line of Webster street and the western line of Broadway are hereby established and declared to be at the following elevations above city base, to-wit:

77.9 feet northern curb at the western line of Webster street.

76.8 feet both curbs at a point 130 feet westerly from the western line of Academy place produced.

74.8 feet both curbs at a point 30 feet westerly from the western line of Academy place produced.

73.4 feet both curbs at a point 60 feet westerly from the western line of Academy place produced

67.25 feet both curbs at the western line of Academy place produced.

66 feet both curbs at the eastern line of Academy place produced.

60 2 feet both curbs at a point 70 feet easterly from the eastern line of Academy place produced.

57 2 feet both curbs at a point 170 feet easterly from the eastern line of Academy place produced.

52 5 feet northern curb and 52.1 feet southern curb at the western line of Broadway.

SECTION II.

The official curb grades on Academy place between the northern line of College avenue and the southern line of Edwards street are herby established and declared to be at the following elevations above city base, to-wit:

67 feet western curb and 66 feet eastern curb at the northern line of College avenue.

79 feet western curb and 78 feet eastern curb at the southern line of Plymouth avenue.

79 5 feet western curb and 78.5 feet eastern curb at the northern line of Plymouth avenue

80 31 feet western curb and 79 64 feet eastern curb at the southern line of Edwards street.

SECTION III

The distances herein given are measured on the center lines of streets.

Grades to be on straight lines between the points and elevations hereinabove given.

SECTION IV

This Ordinance to take effect upon its passage and approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Nov 23rd, 1896.

Passed to print by the following vote: Ayes—Messrs Bassett, Brosnahan, Buckland, Dow, Heitmann, Kaufman, Manuel, Marshall, Towle, Watkinson and President Mott—11

Noes—None

Absent—None.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk

Oakland, Nov 25th, 1896.

ORDINANCE NO —An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to purchase five horses for the Fire Department, at a cost not to exceed seven hundred and fifty ($750) dollars

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland, as follows:

SECTION I.

The Board of Public Works is hereby authorized to purchase five (5) horses for the Fire Department of the City of Oakland at a cost not to exceed seven hundred and fifty ($750) dollars.

SECTION II.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Nov 23rd, 1896

Passed to print by the following vote. Ayes—Messrs Bassett, Brosnahan, Buckland, Dow, Heitmann, Kaufman, Manuel, Marshall, Towle, Watkinson and President Mott—11.

Noes—None

Absent—None.

Attest J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, Nov 25th, 1896.

ORDINANCE NO —An Ordinance amending Section I of Ordinance No. 1421, entitled "An Ordinance regulating the use of bicycles, tricycles and velocipedes within the limits of the City of Oakland," approved May 9, 1892

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland, as follows:

SECTION I.

Section I of Ordinance No. 1421, entitled "An Ordinance regulating the use of bicycles, tricycles and velocipedes within the limits of the City of Oakland," approved May 9, 1892, is hereby amended to read as follows: Every person riding a bicycle, tricycle or velocipede upon any sidewalk of any public street, lane or alley, or within any public square within the limits of the City of Oakland shall immediately dismount from said bicycle, tricycle or velocipede upon meeting or overtaking any person who may then and there be walking or standing upon said sidewalk or within said public square

SECTION II.

This Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force upon its passage and approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Nov 23rd, 1896.

Passed to print by the following vote: Ayes—Messrs Bassett, Brosnahan, Buckland, Dow, Heitmann, Kaufman, Manuel, Marshall, Towle, Watkinson and President Mott—11.

Noes—None.

Absent—None.

Attest: J W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, Nov. 25th, 1896.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners to appoint a steward of Engine Company No 1 at a salary not to exceed $75 00 per month.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland, as follows:

SECTION I.

The Board of Police and Fire Commissioners are hereby authorized and empowered to appoint a steward of Engine Company No 1, who shall act as foreman of said company

SECTION II.

The salary of said steward shall be $75.00 per month.

SECTION III.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval

In Council, Oakland, Cal, Nov. 23rd, 1896.

Passed to print by the following vote: Ayes — Messrs, Buckland, Dow, Manuel, Marshall, Towle and President Mott—6.

Noes—Messrs Bassett, Brosnahan, Heitmann, Kaufman and Watkinson—5

Absent—None.

Attest: J W TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, Nov. 25th, 1896.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance establishing the official curb grades on certain streets in the City of Oakland, to-wit. On East 28th street from 13th avenue to Vallecito place, on Vallecito place from East 28th street to 14th avenue.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland, as follows:

SECTION I.

The official curb grades on East 28th street from 13th avenue to Vallecito place are hereby established and declared to be at the following elevations above city base, to-wit,

148.4 feet northeastern curb and 146 1 feet southwestern curb at the southeastern line of 13th avenue.

151 feet both curbs at a point 200 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 13th avenue.

154 feet both curbs at a point 350 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 13th avenue.

153 4 feet both curbs at a point 400 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 13th avenue.

150 feet both curbs at a point 450 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 13th avenue.

146 feet both curbs at a point 500 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 13th avenue.

110 feet southwestern curb at a point 727 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 13th avenue.

110 feet northeastern curb and 108.5 feet southwestern curb at the western line of Vallecito place produced.

SECTION II.

The official curb grades on Vallecito place from a point at right angles opposite the intersection of the west line of Vallecito place with the northeastern line of East 28th street to the northwestern line of 14th avenue are hereby established and declared to be at the following elevations above city base, to-wit:

110 feet both curbs at points at right angles opposite to the intersection of the west line of Vallecito place with the northwestern line of East 28th street.

108 feet both curbs at points at right angles opposite to the intersection of the west line of Vallecito place with the southwestern line of East 28th street.

86 feet both curbs opposite the intersection of the west line of Vallecito place with the northeastern line of East 27th street.

SECTION III.

The grades to be on straight lines between the points and elevations hereinabove given.

SECTION IV.

This Ordinance to take effect upon its passage and approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 23rd, 1896.

Passed to print by the following vote: Ayes—Messrs. Bassett, Brosnahan, Buckland, Dow, Heitmann, Kaufman, Manuel, Marshall, Towle, Watkinson and President Mott—11.

Noes—None.

Absent—None.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, Nov. 25th, 1896.

LEGAL

EXECUTOR'S SALE.

Pursuant to the order of the Superior Court of Alameda County, California, Department Four, of date June 25, 1894, in the matter of the estate of Jason A. Rose, deceased,

Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned, executor of said estate, will sell on or after the 4th day of Dec, 1896, at private sale to the highest bidder, for cash, the following property of decedent's estate, to-wit:

All those certain pieces of real property situate in the Township of Murray, County of Alameda, State of California, bounded and described as follows:

1st. Commencing at a point where the center line of county road No. 1533 intersects course No. 10 of the survey of the Rancho Santa Rita and being the line dividing the Ranchos Santa Rita and the Rancho El Valle de San Jose; thence along the center line of said county road N. 15 deg. 7 min. W. 69 chains 19 links to the southeast corner of lands of August Harms; thence S. 63 deg. 40 min. W. 40 chains 16 links to the most northerly corner of plot No. 1 of the subdivision of the Bernal portion of the Rancho El Valle de San Jose and being also the western end of course No. 10 of the Santa Rita Rancho, thence south 46 deg. 32 min. E. 76 chains 80 links along the line dividing aforesaid ranchos to the place of beginning. Containing 138 80-100 acres and being a portion of the Rancho Santa Rita and also being the same property conveyed by Samuel B. Martin to Lewis Atkinson by deed dated May 1, 1879, and recorded in Liber 181 of Deeds at page 153, Alameda County Records.

2nd. Being a portion of plot No. 4 of the Rancho El Valle de San Jose, and beginning on the south line of said plot No. 4 at a point distant thereon 12.77 chains easterly from the southwesterly corner of said plot, running thence along said south line S 89 deg. 22 min. E. 79.05 chains, thence N 0 deg. 16 min. E. 20 20 chains to the southeast corner of land of A. J Silver, thence N. 89 deg. 30 min. W. 35 13 chains; thence N. 72 deg. 40 min. W. along the center of an avenue 74 15 chains to the west line of said plot No. 4, thence along said west line S. 18 deg. W. 18.32 chains and S. 22 min. E. 11.10 chains, thence leaving said west line S 44 deg. E. 18.45 chains to the place of beginning, containing about 259.90 acres.

3d Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Main street in the Town of Pleasanton distant thereon 100 feet six inches north from the north line of Neal street; thence northerly along said line of Main street 150 feet 0 inches; thence easterly parallel with Division street 248 feet 5 inches; thence at a right angle southerly 150 feet, thence at a right angle westerly 260 78 feet to the place of beginning, being lots 2, 3 and 4, the south 100 feet of lots 7 and 8 and the north 50 feet of lots 9 and 10 in block A, as shown on a map entitled "Map of the Town of Pleasanton, Alameda Co, Cal., Surveyed for Joshua A. Neal Dec. 1, 1869, Revised from Survey of 1868," filed in the Recorder's office of Alameda County Feb. 24th, 1870, and recorded in Liber 5 of Maps, page 35.

Said property described 3d is known as the Rose Hotel property, and will be sold in one parcel, and with it will be sold the furniture contained in the hotel situate thereon.

4th. The southerly 100 feet of lots 9 and 10 in block A in said Town of Pleasanton, as shown on said map.

Parcels other than the hotel property will be sold as a whole or in subdivisions to suit purchasers.

Bids or offers in writing for said property or any parcel thereof will be received by me at my residence in San Leandro, Cal., or may be left at the law office of my attorney, Steph G Nye, 861 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., or may be filed with the Clerk of said Superior Court at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the sale is made.

L. C. MOREHOUSE.

Executor of the last will and testament of Jason A. Rose, deceased.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Robert Gabriel Kelly, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc:

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Robert Gabriel Kelly, deceased, and for the issuance to Sarah M. Kelly of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this court, and that Monday, the 7th day of December, A. D., 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the court room of Department No. 4 of said court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for hearing of said petition and proving said will when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated November 20th, A. D., 1896.

FRANK C JORDAN Clerk.

By J. CAL EWING, Deputy Clerk.

BLAKE & HARRISON,

Mills Building, San Francisco, Attorneys for Petitioner.

Notice of a General Meeting of the Stockholders of the Eagle Iron Works (Limited.)

A general meeting of all of the stockholders of the above named corporation will be held at the general office of the said corporation at the corner of Clay and Third streets in the City of Oakland, State of California, at 6 o'clock P. M. on the seventh day of December, A. D, 1896, for the purpose of removing from office all of the directors of said corporation who are now holding office as such, to-wit: John P. Lightbody, William D. Legan, James W. Wood, G. P. Sorey, William Nelle, Percy R. Stuart, Daniel Stuart, and for the transaction of such other business as may regularly come before the meeting. New members of the Board of Directors will be elected at this meeting.

H. W. NELLE,

Secretary of the Eagle Iron Works (limited.)

By order of John P. Lightbody, President of the Eagle Iron Works (limited.)

Dated Oakland, Calif., Nov. 21st, 1896

ORDINANCE NO —An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to receive bids and purchase a steam road roller, and appropriating the sum of $4,000 for said purpose.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland as follows.

SECTION I.

The Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to receive bids, and award contract for a steam road roller. Said roller to be of improved modern construction having spiked attachments, and weighing not less than 15 tons.

SECTION II.

The cost of said roller not to exceed the sum of $4,000, and the said sum of $4,000 is hereby appropriated for the purchase of said roller, from the general fund of 1896-97.

SECTION III.

This ordinance shall be in force on and after its approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 16th, 1896.

Passed to print by the following vote: Ayes—Messrs, Bassett, Brosnahan, Buckland, Dow, Heitmann, Kaufman, Marshall, Towle and President Mott.—9.

Noes—None.

Absent— Messrs, Manuel and Watkinson—2

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, Nov. 18th, 1896.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Nicholas Doran, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executors of the will and estate of Nicholas Doran, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executors, at the office of George E. DeGolia, 957 Broadway street, Oakland, Alameda County, California, which said office the undersigned select as their place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Nicholas Doran, deceased.

JAMES McALLISTER

And JAMES LONG,

Executors of the estate of Nicholas Doran, deceased.

Dated Oakland, November 20, 1896.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA, Attorney for Executors.

LEGAL

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for the Year 1896.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1896.

To all taxpayers in the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said County of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment book for State and County taxes for the year 1896, on all property within the County of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, every day (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the first Monday in October, 1896, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said County of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

FIRST MONDAY IN OCTOBER, IN THE YEAR 1896

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda County, situated in the City of Oakland, in said County, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER, 1896

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1897, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda County for the year 1896 will be payable to the undersigned, Tax Collector of said Alameda County, as aforesaid, at the office of the Tax Collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1897, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN APRIL, 1897,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the first Monday in October 1896 all the taxes, whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or, if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

FIRST MONDAY IN OCTOBER, 1896,

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes, both first and second installments, will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 10th day of October, 1896.

JAMES B. BARBER,

Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

PROPOSALS for furnishing three horses to the Police Department of the City of Oakland.

Department of Public Works, City Hall, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 21st, 1896.

In pursuance with the order of the Board of Public Works, sealed proposals will be received in open session of the Board of Public Works at their office in the City Hall, on Wednesday, the 9th day of December, 1896, from 10 to 11 o'clock A. M., for furnishing three horses to the Police Department of the City of Oakland, the said horses to consist of two buggy horses and one saddle horse. The said horses to be delivered to the Chief of Police within ten days after the award of contract for same. The said horses to weigh not less than (1100) eleven hundred pounds, to be not more than seven (7) years of age, and to have good life and action and must be warranted perfectly sound and gentle.

The horses furnished to be subject to the approval of the Chief of Police and to the satisfaction of the Board of Public Works.

All bids must be made upon the blank forms of the Board, which will be furnished upon application, by the Secretary.

All bids must be accompanied by a check certified by some responsible bank made payable to the order of J. W. Tompkins, Clerk the Council, for not less than ten per cent of the proposal, which check shall be forfeited to the City of Oakland should the bidder receiving the award fail within five days to enter into a contract and furnish a good and sufficient bond in the sum of $150.00 for the faithful performance of the same.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Board of Public Works.

N. W SPAULDING, Jr., Secretary.

NOTICE OF FILING—Of 3rd Report of Commissioners in the matter of the opening and widening of Commerce street.

City Clerk's Office, Oakland, Cal, Nov. 21st, 1896

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners heretofore appointed to assess benefits and damages and to have general supervision of the proposed work and improvement of opening and widening Commerce street, between the northern line of East Twelfth street and the southern line of East Twenty-second street, in the City of Oakland, in accordance with Ordinance No 1498, have this day filed in this office and with the Clerk of the City Council of said city their written report, showing their assessment of benefits and the damages, together with the plat of the assessment district, showing the land taken and to be taken for the work or improvement aforesaid, and the lands assessed, also showing the relative location of each district, block, lot or portion of lot and its dimensions.

Said report and plat are now and will be open to inspection in this office, and all persons interested therein and in said opening are hereby required to show cause, if any, why said report should not be confirmed by the City Council, by the filing of written objections thereto with the said Clerk of the City Council, on or before the 28th day of December, 1896.

(Seal.) J. W. TOMPKINS.

Clerk of the Council of the City of Oakland.

Oakland, Nov. 20th, 1896.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to receive bids and contract for the repair and reconstruction of the Eighth street bridge in the City of Oakland, and appropriating $3,100 for said work.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland, as follows:

SECTION I.

The Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to receive bids and contract for the repair and reconstruction of the Eighth street bridge in the City of Oakland at a cost not to exceed the sum of $3,100, and the sum of $3,100 is hereby appropriated for said purpose. The repairs and reconstruction to be in accordance with the plans filed by the City Engineer on the 23d of November, 1896.

SECTION II.

This Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force immediately.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 23rd, 1896.

Passed to print by the following vote: Ayes—Messrs Bassett, Brosnahan, Buckland, Dow, Heitmann, Manuel, Marshall, Towle, Watkinson and President Mott—10.

Noes—Mr. Kaufman—1.

Absent—None.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, Nov. 27th, 1896.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to purchase 2,500 feet of hose for the Fire Department of the City of Oakland.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland, as follows:

SECTION I.

The Board of Public Works is hereby authorized to purchase 2,500 feet of hose for the Fire Department of the City of Oakland.

SECTION II.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 23rd, 1896.

Passed to print by the following vote: Ayes—Messrs, Bassett, Brosnahan, Buckland, Dow, Kaufman, Manuel, Marshall, Towle, Watkinson and President Mott—10.

Noes—None.

Absent—Mr. Heitmann—1.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, Nov. 25th, 1896.

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A JEWISH FESTIVAL.

Special Services Are Conducted at Beth Jacob Synagogue.

The Beth Jacob Synagogue held the initiatory services of the festival of Chanuka, or dedication of the lights, last evening. The festival will last eight days. The programme that was carried out last evening was: Opening song, pupils of the school; evening service, or Maarive, Rabbi Linczner and pupils; dedication of lights, Rabbi Linczner and pupils; English translation of dedicatory blessings, Miss Sarah White; Hebrew reading of Chanuka, Gus Ringolsky; English translation of Chanuka, Miss Sarah White; prayer, "Dedication of the Temple," J. Klove; Hebrew address on the dedication, Gus Ringolsky; English translation of the address of Gus Ringolsky, Martha Silverstein; song in English, the pupils; history of the festival, I. Buchman; trio song, Gus Ringolsky, I. Buchman and Moses Friedman; remarks on the progress of the school, H. J. Landers; sermon, Rabbi Linczner; song, "Evening," the pupils; essay, "Religion," Moses Friedman; paper explanatory of the day, Jennie Buchman; song, trio, Sarah White, Augusta White and Martha Silverstein; lighting of the lamp, Isa Buchman, Ben Buchman, Ben Silverstein, Gus Ringolsky, Max Taylor, Martha Silverstein, Sarah White; benediction.

BOXERS WILL BATTLE.

Tracy and Ryan Meet in the Fistic Ring This Evening.

The inaugural boxing tournament of the Golden West Club will take place this evening in Union Hall, San Francisco. The first event will take place promptly at 8:30 o'clock, and there will be plenty of fun for the sports.

The principal feature will be the Tracey-Ryan ten-round contest. Both men are in fine condition, so a spirited contest is expected. Tracey has been training at the Reliance Club, where he has had the best of treatment. The betting odds are in his favor 2 to 1.

Jack Stengler, Fitzsimmon's sparring partner, and Tom Johnson, the heavyweights, will give a six-round exhibition, to be followed by Charles Rochette and Harry Butler in an eight-round match for a decision.

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Forty-Seven Confirmations in Rev. Dr. Law's Parish.

THE EFFECT OF MISSIONS.

Plain Truths Are Set Forth by Rev. Dr. Chapman.

Continuing his series of stereopticon illustrated lectures, Dr. Wendte last night at the Unitarian Church chose for his subject "Paris." He talked not only of the buildings, parks and boulevards of the city, but discussed at some length the social, moral and religious conditions of the people. In connection with the improvements he spoke of Oakland and gave his views of the needs of this city in the lines of parks and boulevards.

The lecture was interspersed with personal reminiscences, and proved both entertaining and edifying.

BEAR THE CROSS.

The Sufferings of the Saviour Make a Powerful Appeal.

At the Market Street Congregational Church yesterday, Rev. Dr. E. S. Chapman preached his morning sermon from the text I Peter 1:11. The theme, "The Sufferings of Christ," was treated in a simple and elementary way.

1. The Scriptural references to them all become an evidence of their reality and intensity. Many of those were quoted, and looked at from the standpoint of human experience. A vivid picture of the suffering Christ was presented.

2. These sufferings, it was urged, were distinctly vicarious. "He was wounded for our transgressions; He was bruised for our iniquities."

3. And the boon of which they were the purchase money was worth all it cost.

4. And so being purchased salvation is offered to us without money and without price.

5. It surely ought to be accepted as freely, ought it not? Will not you, each of you, thus accept it?

6. More than this, love so amazing, so divine, demands our life, our soul, our all. He gave His life for us. Is it too much that we should give our lives for Him? He endured the cross, despising the shame. "Must Jesus bear the cross alone?"

CONFIRMATION.

An Interesting Service at the Church of the Advent.

The largest confirmation class ever presented in the Church of the Advent, East Oakland, was confirmed by Bishop Nichols last evening, the rector, Rev. V. Marshall Law, having prepared a class of forty-seven. Of these one-third were lads and men.

The church was crowded and the choral service was finest, rendered by the mixed vested choir of forty-three voices. A sermon was preached by the Bishop, after which came the rite of "laying on of hands." It was an impressive scene and the rector was congratulated on many sides for the brightening skies of the parish. He has now in less than two years presented ninety persons for confirmation, and it is doubtful if any parish in California can show a corresponding awakening.

When asked last evening how much of this parish enthusiasm he attributed to the missions held in the parish he said, "Last spring we had sixteen names for confirmation when Archdeacon Webber came. Our united efforts during the week increased this to twenty-four. This year I had thirty-two names actually in hand for confirmation when our mission began. Our combined labors gave us a class of forty-seven. I am a believer in the brightening-up effects of a mission. It is not alone in numbers for confirmation that these missions are valuable. They stir up and stimulate those already confirmed, and a missioner can say things which need to be said, but which a rector cannot properly present to the people."

MRS. M'KENZIE REPLIES.

Her Answer to the Charges Brought by J. M. Douglas.

Mrs. Joseph H. McKenzie, by her attorney, Phil M. Walsh, filed her answer today to the $5,000 damage suit brought against her by John M. Douglas, formerly employed as a delivery clerk by H. L. Conklin, a Washington street grocer.

Mrs. McKenzie says that Douglas occasionally supplied her with articles of food that were not fit for household use and also overcharged her for the same. She finally called at the grocer's store and discovered she had been overcharged for some wheat. Upon making this discovery she informed Mr. Conklin that she thought his clerk was dishonest. The defendant disclaims any malice in making this assertion.

BLOCKADED BY SNOW.

Trains Tied Up on the Line of the Central Pacific.

The heavy snow storms that have occurred in colder latitudes have greatly delayed Eastern traffic and tourists who are on their way to California's sunny climes are imprisoned in snow fastnesses. The overland trains have encountered heavy snow blockades near Reno and all through the mountains and are consequently delayed in arriving. The morning overland is seven hours late and will probably not reach this city until 4 P. M. The evening overland is already two hours behind time with a prospect of a still greater delay.

Lost His Home.

J. C. Wilson's beautiful residence at 2123 Jackson street, San Francisco, was yesterday destroyed by fire. Mr. Wilson formerly lived in Oakland and only moved to San Francisco about a month ago.

JUST TWO DAYS MORE.

Then the Big Pugilistic Gladiators Will Do Battle.

Sharkey Will Rush Fitzsimmons if It Becomes Necessary.

But two days intervene before the greatest pugilistic contest ever held on the Pacific Coast will take place. Owing to the near approach, interest is heightened and now there is little else talked of in the sporting world.

Sharkey has enjoyed a slight advance in the betting on the recent odds, owing to the fact that his supporters are more numerous than at first supposed. It is conceded that every minute the fight lasts, Sharkey has a better chance of winning for his youth will tell against Fitzsimmons' age, though both are in the finest trim that a human machine can possibly be put in.

Fitzsimmons is very quick to take advantage of an opening and it is safe to say that he will not waste his time in delivering light, ineffectual blows as Corbett did when he faced the sailor lad.

TOM SHARKEY.

However, Sharkey will have something to say about the matter, himself, for he intends to do the same thing to Fitzsimmons, which the Cornishman is talking so much of.

Fitzsimmons' strongest point is sidestepping, with the ultimate right upper cut. It is a decidedly dangerous blow and should he manage to land on the sailor's point with one of them, something is going to happen. It is said he will concentrate all his efforts on knock-out blows and will wait an opportunity rather than rush the fight.

BOB FITZSIMMONS.

On the other hand Sharkey has said that after the third round if Fitz does not lead out, he will go for him and then the hurricane can be expected.

The National Club has perfected arrangements for seating the big crowd and confusion in securing seats is reduced to a minimum.

Broke His Wrist.

Elmore Warner, a lad living at 1967 Oak street, broke his wrist yesterday by falling from a horizontal bar. Dr. Woolsey was near by at the time and set the broken bone.

POINTERS ON PAVING.

An Expert Who Has Watched All the Various Systems.

Asphalt Has Met the Test Better Than Other Materials.

The question of paving East Twelfth street in such a manner as to get the best results is being widely discussed in view of the fact that action on the matter will soon be taken by the City Council. In connection with the matter, the views of Stevenson Towle, a New York City authority on such matters, is vitally interesting. In an article in the Engineering Magazine of October, Mr. Towle discusses the matter very thoroughly.

"The health, wealth and comfort of a city depend in a large degree upon the character of the pavements," says Mr. Towle. "Merchants and business men have come to realize that their ability to do business and compete with other cities depends on the ease and cheapness with which goods can be carted and handled in transit through a city. Good pavements mean increased profits; heavier and larger loads can be handled with advantage."

Mr. Towle compares the paving of European cities to American cities, and states that the merchants of New York City were for years handicapped by the poor paving of the great seaport.

"The experience of New York in its efforts to have better pavements is similar to that of other cities at home and abroad. Originally the pavements were mostly of cobblestones, afterwards of Belgian blocks and sometimes of granite blocks on a sand foundation. The old cobblestones and Belgian blocks were utterly inadequate for commercial traffic and were soon completely destroyed. Various kinds of pavement were tried. The first was the Russ patent pavement, laid on Broadway in 1849. The pavement was not satisfactory, owing to its slipperiness, the blocks being wide and the joints close thus affording no foothold for horses. Cobblestones and Belgian block pavements are not first class.

"Brick pavements are not an experiment, having been laid for the past 26 years in Holland, where many of them are in a satisfactory condition to this day. They are now being extensively laid in many of the cities in our Western States, where they prove themselves suitable for moderate traffic.

"The great success of the asphalt pavements now being laid in this country proves that they are well suited for residential streets and likewise for streets having the heaviest traffic. They are particularly adapted for business streets on account of the facility with which the pavements can be restored. The objections of the carters have entirely disappeared, for they find that much heavier loads can be carted with greater safety. The advantage on the score of cost is now very much in favor of asphalt; this is due to the great improvements in the pavement. An asphalt pavement can be laid so as to require little or no repairs for five or six years, or even fifteen years. This is due to competition and improvements in the machinery for mixing and laying the pavement, and to experience obtained in compounding and laying it, and also to the knowledge that the cost of maintenance is much less than previously estimated.

"The comparative durability of the asphalt pavement is clearly shown on many business streets. The pavement, to be successful, must be composed of the best substances, mixed and laid in the best manner with improved machinery and scientific methods. The failure of many of the asphalt pavements is due to not using proper asphalt. It is the experience of New York that the best asphalt pavements are laid with the Trinidad Pitch Lake asphalt, Alcatraz from California and Bermudez from Venezuela, the Sicilian mines at Ragusa and Ver Wohle and Swiss mines of Val de Travers.

"Macadam pavements are not recommended for cities, and should not be laid except for pleasure drives; when laid, they should be of the very best material and workmanship.

"Some 20,000 square yards of asphalt block pavement have been laid in New York within the past five years, and have proved well adapted for light traffic. It is very much smoother and less noisy than any of the stone or brick pavements. So close are the joints that, under the influence of heat and traffic the blocks become cemented together, forming almost a waterproof pavement. There has been a great improvement in the manufacture of these blocks, tending to make them more durable. They are now made with broken trap rock instead of the soft lime rock previously used.

"The failure of wood pavement in this country did not prevent its extensive use in London and Paris, where its success was due to excellence of construction and maintenance, involving a cost at least double that of the best asphalt or stone pavement.

"In no instance is the benefit of a noiseless pavement more noticeable than about schools and hospitals and on streets occupied exclusively by the poor. Physicians and health authorities bear witness to the benefits that have been derived from asphalt pavements as not only noiseless, but preventing all liquid wastes from saturating the ground beneath them. It is this characteristic of the asphalt pavement that has improved the health of several large districts in this city occupied exclusively by tenement houses of the poorest kind. These streets were originally paved with the Belgian or cobble pavement and had worn in ruts in which the refuse water lodged. Since these neighborhoods have been paved with asphalt, physicians and the Health Board have observed a marked absence of malarial diseases and a lessening of the death rate. Good pavements not only promote the health of the community, but facilitate the renting of houses, and in no instance is this rental increase more noticeable than when a macadam pavement has been replaced by asphalt."

SPOKE ON SUFFRAGE.

Madame Florence Montague's Lecture at Fraternal Hall.

Mme. Florence Montague at Fraternal Hall last night told in her eloquent way how and by whom woman was defeated at the last election in her efforts to secure political equality.

She charged the defeat mainly to the onslaught made on the Sixth Amendment by the Romish Church and the saloon interests. The former, she said appealed to the superstition that had been handed down through the ages, that woman was the inferior of man and was not entitled to any consideration in the affairs of either church or State.

She said that the great Nazarene tried to impress upon the people of his day the truth that woman was man's equal; that there was no double standard, either in morals or mind, and yet so strong was the prejudice against women that the Apostle Paul forgetful of the sublime teachings of his great Master retired woman to the inferior and subservient position again from which after an enslavement of eighteen centuries, she is now emerging as the great truth of the universal brotherhood of man is forcing itself upon the understanding of mankind.

The saloon, however, was the most active and potent agent in defeating woman's advancement. She said it appealed entirely to the lower and bestial appetites, and to its own selfish interests and though well aware that it was the direct cause of more criminality, more mental and physical demoralization than all other causes combined. Yet it was determined to continue its nefarious work and at the last moment opened its masked batteries and won the day.

It posted circulars in all its various channels of trade, demanding that its friends and patrons defeat the Sixth Amendment. Its batteries silenced the great dailies of the sister city, she claimed, and one of them in open defiance of its party platform which favored woman suffrage, issued a sample ballot on the morning of election on which it placed a negative opposite the Sixth Amendment. The saloon well knows that on the day when woman handles the ballot as the equal of man its fate is doomed.

The speaker then paid her respects to her own sex, which she handled without gloves. She referred to the oft quoted saying that "woman is woman's worst enemy," and bewailed the fact that there was too much truth in it. She said that her sisters who were well provided for in pleasant homes had but little sympathy for those who were less fortunately situated and who desired the ballot, in order that the position which that ballot would give her in society in business and in the nation, she would be better able to fight the battles of life and protect her home and her children from the influences that would continue to surround them so long as men only had the making of the laws which governed them.

She said that the last campaign had been an educational one, and she prophesied that the day was not far distant when not only in the Golden State, but even in every State in our fair land, woman would be recognized by her brother man as his political and social equal.

During her lecture she was continually greeted with rounds of applause.

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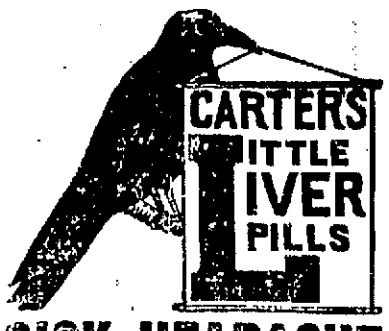

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PSYCHIC RESEARCHES.

Amos J. Johnson Lectures Well on "Raja Yoga."

Theosophic Theories Explained in an Able Manner.

Last night Amos J. Johnson lectured before the Oakland Theosophical Society on "Raja Yoga."

"Danger may result," the speaker said, "from ignorant experiments in Yoga in the attempt to force into activity the latent qualities which are inherent in every individual. Raja Yoga accomplishes its purpose by steadying the mind through meditation and concentration. It calls into action the several forces of the mind, and cognizes the mind rather than the inter planes of being. By this means the highest qualities of the mind are brought into play, and all that is concealed or dormant in the man is brought into activity. Before this development may occur, however, all faults must be crushed out.

"Spirit is selfless and sexless, and all that pertains to the lower man must be subdued before the higher faculties can manifest. Our consciousness is now focussed in the physical man, and before the inner nature can be manifested these lower faculties must become one in purpose with the spiritual qualities. It is the task of the student of Raja Yoga to perform this transmutation by continually directing and steadying the mind.

"A certain psychic development occurs in the study and practice of Raja Yoga, but psychic results should not be sought for. They are merely incidental in the process of spiritual growth.

"'A little knowledge is a dangerous thing,' even on the psychical plane, and much more so in the higher realms. If one would understand these forces and know how to apply them, he must develop equally in all directions—not apply himself solely to intellectual study or spiritual meditation, but apply himself to both that he may be properly balanced. And as for psychic development, that effort should be deferred until one fully understands what he is trying to do, and until he shall find some one competent to instruct him, even though that period be a dozen years or a dozen incarnations hence.

"While the whole scope of Raja Yoga is very complicated, the ethical steps in the beginning are so simple any one may comprehend them. These consist in being loving and helpful and unselfish, and in maintaining a perfect self control under all circumstances."

HAS A BAD RECORD.

Bicycle Thief Malngren Is Well Known to the Police.

Malngren, the bicycle thief, now in the Alameda City Prison has a far reaching record. This morning Chief Lloyd received a letter from Chief Kingsbury of Stockton stating that the prisoner is wanted there for selling a wheel which did not belong to him, but to ex-District Attorney Avery White.

Malngren has many aliases, among them P. Green, Sandy Malon and Sam Malan. His true name is Malcomb, and at one time he was a race rider and has been connected with various tracks throughout the country.

An Installation.

Alameda Branch No. 3, Catholics Ladies' Aid Society, has installed the following officers for the ensuing year: Past president, Mrs. D. J. Quill; president, Miss Gallagher; senior vice-president, Mrs. J. McStay; junior vice-president, Mrs. St. Sure; marshal, Miss Wier; recording secretary, Miss Kate Jollymour; financial secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Quigley; guide, Mrs. Humphrey.

A Lively Collision

A wheel ridden by Felix Harbough of Alameda and a buggy driven by Dr. E. H. Blond and Harvey Wilson collided yesterday at Thirteenth and Broadway with disastrous results to the former. He was taken badly bruised to a drug store and Dr. J. P. Dunn was called. Later the man and the remains of the wheel were taken to his home at 2038 Alameda avenue, Alameda.

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EXTRA!

EACH SIDE SCORES A VICTORY.

Judge McKenna Hands Down His Decision Regarding the Railroad Commission.

THE RIGHT TO REDUCE THE RATES IS AFFIRMED.

But the Injunction as to the Eight Per Cent Cut Is Sustained.

(Special to the Tribune.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—United States Circuit Judge McKenna has handed down a decision in the Railroad Commissioners case.

The injunction against reducing railroad rates 8 per cent is made permanent.

The injunction against reducing the rates 25 per cent is dissolved, Judge McKenna stating that although the Commissioners discussed the proposition they never formally acted upon it, and he could not therefore pass upon a point that had no legal existence.

The right of the Railroad Commissioners to cut rates is recognized by the court.

The reason the 8 per cent injunction is made permanent is because in the opinion of the court it is too severe.

The court brushes aside the proposition that the Commissioners could not act on account of election pledges, Judge McKenna evidently considering the matter not important enough for a decree.

IN DETAIL.

How Some of the Points Were Handled in the Decree.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—Judge McKenna, of the United States Circuit Court, to-day delivered his long-awaited decision in the important case of the Southern Pacific Company against the State Board of Railroad Commissioners involving the right of the commission to restrict freight rates over the company's lines in this State.

Each side claims a victory in the decision, which concedes the right of the commission to make reductions in rates, but makes a permanent injunction against the commissioners restraining them from making an eight per cent reduction in grain rates on the ground that the profits of the Southern Pacific did not justify that cut in rates.

The commission adopted a resolution reducing the railroad's schedule of grain rates twenty-five per cent. Thereupon the railroad brought suit in the United States Court for an injunction restraining the commission from interefering with its rates. The railroad's complaint denied the right of the commision to restrict rates, alleging that power was vested in Congress alone.

Judge McKenna's decision to-day was that the Railroad Commission is a legal body, and that it powers were not only judicial, but legislative.

It has power not only to adjust rates, but to enforce its decrees.

The Court could take from the commission no part of its functions which included the regulation of rates of railroads.

The Southern Pacific is a corporation doing business in this State, and is clearly within the jurisdiction of the commission.

The Southern Pacific is therefore subject to the rulings of the commission, and the court declared it impossible to conceive how any other view could be taken.

The court also decided that the commission had jurisdiction over a corporation, whether local or foreign.

This point was considered at great length in the decision, which discussed all the constitutional points raised by the railroad.

The court asked: "What right, then, has this court to pass on any of the functions of the Railroad Commission which have been clearly established by law?"

On the question raised by the Southern Pacific that two of the Commissioners were ineligible to reduce the rates because of their ante-election pledges to reduce rates, Judge McKenna decided that the candidates had a right to make such pledges, which did not constitute ineligibility.

The decision, which took three hours to read, concluded by making a permanent injunction against the Commissioners from enforcing the first reduction of 8 per cent in freight rates, on the ground that the reduction was excessive, considering the earnings of the Southern Pacific.

The court dissolved the injunction against the Commissioners on the 25 per cent reduction on the ground that it was not the final act of the company, but was equivalent to a declaration of intention.

A TELEPHONE FIGHT.

Sale by the Sheriff of a Defunct Santa Clara Company.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN JOSE, Nov. 30.—The entire system and franchise of the People's Telephone Company was sold by the Sheriff today to satisfy judgment in favor of the Washburn Moen Manufacturing Company.

It was bought in by the newly organized People's Telephone and Telegraph Company for $18,710, which is but a few dollars more than the judgment.

The Company is said to be really a new organization of the leading stockholders of the defendant Company. The service has never been disturbed and a much improved service is promised.

The Company has brought about an average reduction in the rent of phones of fully one half.

HELD FOR MANSLAUGHTER.

Southern Pacific Trainmen to Answer for a Death.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

RED BLUFF, Nov. 30.—E. T. Chase, F. A. Tollman and Thomas Quniten, conductor, engineer and fireman of the Southern Pacific special, have been arrested here on a charge of involuntary manslaughter.

They are charged with killing Vandegriff by recklessly running a train at too great a rate through Vina on November 3d.

The defendants were released on bonds of $1,000 each until the preliminary examination. The time for the examination is not set.

GOODWIN'S DIVORCE.

A Compromise That Is Said to Have Cost Him $15,000.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—When the divorce case of Nat Goodwin, the actor, against his wife, living in New York, was called to-day, it was stated that Goodwin had disregarded the subpoena issued by his wife's attorneys, and had left last night for Portland.

The Court was considering the advisability of committing Goodwin for contempt when he should again come within the Court's jurisdiction, when his attorneys announced that the suit had been dismissed by Goodwin before his departure.

An affidavit was read from Goodwin stating the case had been compromised and that he had paid his wife $15,000 in lieu of alimony.

It was stated the real object in dismissing the suit was the fear that Goodwin's suit might embarrass the suit of Maxime Elliott, who simultaneously filed an application for divorce from her husband, George McDermott.

WILL HAVE NO TICKET.

Populists Will Not Have a Local Municipal Campaign.

THE COMMITTEE IN SESSION.

Candidates From the Other Parties Will Be Endorsed.

FUSION WAS A FAILURE.

A Lively Discussion and Then a Decisive Vote.

The Populist City Central Committee met last Saturday evening in the office of J. B. Randolph, on Broadway near Ninth street, and discussed plans regarding the coming campaign. A. A. Bretz was in the chair and all the wards were represented with the exception of the First, Ed. Maguire, one member, being out of town, while committee man Price is on the sick list. In their stead J. C. Buttner and A. H. Dewey were substituted.

The chief subject under discussion was whether to put up a municipal ticket at the coming election. Owing to the recent overwhelming defeat of the fusion forces several were of the opinion that the Populists could not do anything standing by themselves, and as a consequence opposed running a party ticket. Others differed and a genuine Populist word war ensued, the outcome of which was the decesion that the campaign was yet too young for any decisive measures to be taken.

However, the debate finally centered on the advisability of nominating a candidate for Mayor and a vote was taken. This resulted in five ayes and five noes, but Chairman Bretz refused to exercise his prerogative to cast the die.

Then the talk took another turn. Finally it was decided that it was principle, not men, that the party was working for, and so a suggestion that a local platform, somewhat similar to the Omaha document, be prepared, met with approval. A committee, consisting of one from each ward was appointed to draft the instrument, and it is understood that when it is completed, candidates from other parties who will subscribe to it will receive the endorsement of the People's Party.

From the present indications there will be no municipal Populist ticket.

NORTH IS CHAIRMAN.

Permanent Organization of the Alameda County Delegation.

A meeting of the Alameda County Assembly delegation has been held and a permanent organization affected. Hart H. North has been chosen as chairman of the delegation, and Howard E. Wright secretary. The Executive Committee consists of F. W. Leavitt, chairman; J. A. Waymire and Hart H. North.

Judge Waymire was unanimously endorsed for the position of chairman of the Committee on Judiciary of the coming Assembly. The other members of the delegation were endorsed for places on the committees.

It was determined to stand as a unit on all matters of direct interest to Alameda County, especially while any measures affect the State University or the Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institute. In the interests of a new primary law and good roads, the delegation will be in the front ranks. Among the other questions to be urged is an economical organization of the Legislature.

All the recently elected Assemblymen were present. Arthur North, Assemblyman-elect from Yolo County, was also in attendance.

M'KINLEY'S ESCORT.

The Alliance Club Will Not Have the Post of Honor.

It is nearly a settled fact that the Alliance Club will not go to Washington as an escort to President-elect McKinley. This arises from the fact that the President has selected members of his own war regiment to perform the honor.

President George Morrow, speaking of the matter, said: "There would have been no difficulty at all in raising the money for this trip if we had been accorded the escort honor. However, if the people of California as a matter of State pride want to send the Alliance to the inauguration I am satisfied we can among ourselves raise $5,000. Under the circumstances, considering the hard times and the long depression in business from which we are now recovering, it may be best to call the trip off. The directors will decide that finally on Tuesday night."

Gone Ashore.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

KEY WEST, Fla., Nov. 30.—The British steamer Mayfield, Capt. Fargher, from Penarth for Galveston in ballast, ran ashore at 10 o'clock on the 25th on the elbow.

The Mayfield is 1,725 tons register and belongs to the Mayfield steamship line of London.

In Big Trouble

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Isaac Scoope & Co., manufacturers of jewelry, confessed judgment for $70,390 today. The total liabilities are estimated at $75,000; nominal assets $50,000. The firm has a branch in St. Louis.

HIGH TO BE HELD.

That Is the Intimation Given by Judge Ellsworth.

PROCEEDINGS REVIEWED.

A Question as Regards the Validity of the Sentence.

ANOTHER APPEAL AHEAD.

The Matter to be Taken to the Supreme Court.

Judge Ellsworth in the Superior Court this morning intimated that he would be obliged to deny the writ of habeas corpus asked for some weeks ago by Gavin Dhu High, formerly editor of the Morning Times and Evening Item of this city.

This intimation was given out after a hearing of the points of the case in which the petitioner was represented by Attorney Nusbaumer and the people by District Attorney Snook.

When the application was last up before Judge Ellsworth, High was admitted to bail.

The petition seeks relief from imprisonment for sixty days in the city jail as a consequence of a sentence imposed on High by Judge Wood for the libeling of Wm. J. Dingee. The ground on which the request is made is the alleged irregularity of the proceedings in the Police Court where it is alleged Judge Wood failed to pass upon a motion for a new trial before passing sentence upon High.

Clerk Crawford of the Police Court was placed on the stand. He produced the records of the court and detailed the circumstances under which High had been sentenced. He said that Judge Wood had asked the defendant if he was ready for sentence and that Attorney Nusbaumer, speaking for High, had said that he was.

Judge Wood thereupon sentenced High to sixty days in the city jail. As soon as sentence had been passed Attorney Nusbaumer told the court that the judgment was not valid because the motion for a new trial had not yet been passed upon. On being thus reminded Judge Wood immediately set aside the judgment of sixty days and passed upon the motion for a new trial, denying the same. The court then passed sentence of imprisonment for sixty days, as above referred to.

Judge Ellsworth took the application and, referring to a clause in it to the effect that the defendant had appeared ready for sentence in the Police Court, asked whether or not that might be considered a waiver of the motion for a new trial.

Mr. Nusbaumer did not think it could.

The judge then asked if any other business had intervened between the first and second judgments.

Clerk Crawford said he did not think any other business had been transacted.

Mr. Nusbaumer asked Mr. Crawford if he did not recall the the fact that he (Nusbaumer) had made an application for bail in behalf of High.

Witness could not recall that Mr. Nusbaumer had made such an application at that time, although he remembered that such a request had been made at one time.

The blotter minutes of the court were produced showing the rough facts as regards the proceedings in the case, but they shed no light, the judge said, as regards whether or not any other business had intervened.

Mr. Nusbaumer then gave his recollection as to the manner in which the proceedings had been conducted. He said that when Judge Wood had asked whether the defendant was "ready for sentence" he (Nusbaumer) had simply answered "ready." The words "for sentence" had not been uttered by him. The court then imposed sentence of sixty days. Mr. Nusbaumer continued: "I then asked the court to fix bail and he replied that at present he would not fix bail, but that he might do so subsequently. The clerk then proceeded to call the next case. I rose to my feet and stated that the sentence was void and that my client was not subject to arrest, because the motion for a new trial had not been passed on. Judge Wood then said, 'I will now set the judgment aside. The judgment of the court is set aside. I now overrule the motion for a new trial.' The court then passed the same judgment on the prisoner as had been passed before. At that stage I took my hat and walked out of the court, and as I was going out I heard the court pass judgment again."

Mr. Snook said he would like to have the case continued till this afternoon to give Judge Wood a chance to testify as to the facts of the case.

Judge Ellsworth said that he felt that he would have to hold the petitioner under one or the other of the judgments. If the defendant, it had been found, had been held under a void judgment, and there had been a prior judgment in the case that was valid, the defendant would have to be held on that valid judgment. His opinion was that the second judgment was the real judgment of the case. When a judgment was announced from the bench, and, before any other business intervened, the court proceeded to announce another judgment corrective of or adding to the first judgment, the second judgment would be the one that would stand. Otherwise there would be no remedy for the mistakes which sometimes attend the first announcement of judgments.

Attorney Nusbaumer said that, before the court formally decided the application, he would like to have the case continued three or four days to enable him to get the matter to the Supreme Court.

Judge Ellsworth said he would be pleased to have the Supreme Court pass on the matter, and he therefor continued the passing of sentence until Thursday next.

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SNOWED IN.

Trains in Trouble on the Line of the Northern Pacific.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

FARGO, N. D., Nov. 30.—With two rotary engines working out of Fargo on the Northern Pacific since Saturday morning, the train snowed in five miles east of Valley City was reached at 10 o'clock this morning.

Only half a mile was cleared yesterday.

The drifts in the cuts were 6 to 4 feet deep, and packed with sand. Picks were required to loosen it up.

The branch to Edgely is still frozen up. People along this line are out of wood and coal.

Small towns along the main line are also out of fuel.

Beyond Oriska today two snow plows collided.

Snow Shoveller Hans Hanson was instantly killed, and a foreman and two section men seriously wounded.

IN WISCONSIN.

CHIPPEWA FALLS, Wis., Nov. 30.—An ice gorge has formed in the Chippewa River near the Dalles and the water is backing steadily into town.

From a height of ten feet it rose to fifteen in two hours today.

Residents in the lower portion of the city are moving their stock and household effects to protected ground.

Great excitement prevails.

The thermometer registers 5 degrees below zero.

NOW A NEW TACK.

Broker Chapman Is Reversed by the Supreme Court.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—The Supreme Court has dismissed the writ of error in the case of Elverton R. Chapman, the New York broker, who refused to answer the questions put by the Senate Sugar Trust Investigation Committee two years ago.

This makes it necessary for Chapman to serve his sentence, at least technically.

He will be promptly surrendered by his bondsmen and the case again carried to the Supreme Court on habeas corpus proceedings to test the constitutionality of the act on which the prosecution was based.

THE DAVIS CONTEST.

A Three Million Dollar Estate in the Courts.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—The contest over the estate of the late Jacob Z. Davis, valued at $3,000,000, was commenced today.

The contestants are the niece and nephew residing in the East.

Davis left all his estate to the two nieces of his wife.

The contest developed the fact that Davis was not the true name of the dead millionaire, but Dediker.

He changed his name from Dedicker to Davis because, as the contestants allege, he was an apprentice when he ran away to California and changed his name to avoid legal proceedings.

SHOT HIMSELF.

A Prominent Young Eastern Man Commits Suicide While Ill.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Robert E. Marshall, 34 years old, Superintendent of the Altooma Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad, shot himself at his brother's house in Washington today.

Marshall was one of the most valued young men in the Pennsylvania service. He had been suffering from acute nervous troubles, resulting from overwork.

He was a son of J. W. Marshall, Consul to Leeds during the war and Assistant Postmaster General under President Grant.

A STEAMER AFIRE.

Two Men Burned to Death and Three Have a Close Call.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SOUTH HAVEN, Mich., Nov. 30.—The steamer City of Kalamazoo, owned by the I. W. Williams Transfer Company, took fire this morning and is almost a total loss.

Robert Van Ostrand and Joseph Land who were on the boat, were burned to death.

Three other men escaped without their clothing.

The origin of the fire is unknown.

There was good insurance.

End of a Sport.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Nov. 30.—at 8 A. M. Thomas Joy, well known as "Tonie" Joy in sporting circles, died at a hospital. Some one shot him last night, and Joy never regained consciousness. The police have no clue to the murderer or the cause of the murder.

The Wheat Market.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—Wheat, Nov. 81⅝; Dec. 81¼; Jan. 82⅝. Oats, Nov. 18; Dec. 18⅛@¼.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—Wheat, firm; Dec. 1.52⅝; May 1.62⅞. Barley firm; May .98⅞.

In Port.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Arrived: Pomerannia, Glasgow; Armenia, Hamburg; Furnessia, Glasgow.

HAVRE, Nov. 30.—La Touraine, New York.

WAYMIRE SELECTED.

A Popular Alamedan Is Slated for the Cabinet.

HE IS M'KINLEY'S FRIEND.

The Portfolio Is to Be Secretary of the Interior.

HIS INFLUENCE EXTENSIVE.

The News Is Said to Be Obtained With a Guarantee.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—The Bulletin will say this afternoon both editorially and locally that James A. Waymire of this city and Alameda will be the Pacific Coast representative in the Cabinet of President-elect McKinley.

While no portfolio has yet been definitely assigned to Judge Waymire, it is understood he will be Secretary of the Interior.

The Bulletin says I itsnformation on the point is beyond question.

Waymire is a prominent attorney and capitalist.

He is a personal friend of Major McKinley, and also of Mark Hanna.

At the St. Louis convention Waymire was of great service to Hanna and during the campaign was understood to be the personal representative in California of McKinley and Hanna.

He was associated with Chairman McLaughlin of the Republican State Central Committee in directing the Republican campaign in this State.

Waymire was for thirteen years a resident of Oregon, and has lived so long on the coast that he is familiar with all the interests of the Pacific Coast States.

He represented his Assembly district in the Legislature at the last session and was re-elected at the recent election.

He has also been prominent in Grand Army circles.

THE SCHOOLS OPENING.

Disregard of the Orders of the San Francisco Health Board.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—The Board of Health has virtually given up its fight against the School Department and the prospects are that the three schools closed by the health authorities last week will be reopened tomorrow.

Rev. Father Brennan, who is in charge of St. Francis Parochial School in the Mission, today took a firm stand against Health Officer Lovelace and his Deputies.

This morning the children attending school, assembled as usual.

Dr. Lovelace was on hand and stationed men at the main entrance with instructions to prevent the pupils from entering.

Father Brennan opened the side entrance and the classes formed.

The Health Officer called attention to the order of the Board of Health closing the schools.

"You may inform the Health Board for me," replied Father Brennan, "that I do not recognize their right to interfere, and I shall not respect their order."

The School Directors do not recognize that diphtheria is an epidemic.

Dr. Charles A. Clinton, who is well qualified to talk on the subject, ridicules the idea and states that nearly all the cases reported as diphtheria are nothing more serious than tonsilitis.

TOM FLINT LOSES.

The Official Returns Show That He Is Not an Elector.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Nov. 30.—The Bee will publish this evening that the official returns show that Martin, the Bryan elector, beats Flint, the Republican elector, by about 164 votes, giving Bryan one of the nine California electors.

This is based upon the supposition that the Santa Clara County returns are correct, but her returns appear to be badly jumbled.

The Bee has prepared a table and only awaits the news from Santa Clara to state the case positively.

All Paid Up

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

OMAHA, Nov. 30.—The time for paying the first assessment of the trans-Mississippi Exposition Stock closed Saturday night. With a slight exception every subscriber paid his 5 per cent call.

WHAT DOES IT DO?

That is, what does the Whitney Transfer Company do—transfers and stores household goods, baggage, pianos, executes commissions, transacts its business intelligently and reliably. Goes to and from San Francisco, Alameda, Oakland, Stockton, Berkeley, Petaluma, Benecia, Napa, Martinez, and other suburban points. Call up Main 12.

NOTICE.

A. JACOBS & CO.,

The Leading Hatters & Tailors of 958-960 Washington Street are selling an All Wool Pair of Pants for $4.50. Call and see them.

SAY IT WAS A GIFT.

The Rynders Stock Fight Is Before Judge Greene.

MUCH PROPERTY AT STAKE.

Witnesses Testify to the Transfer of the Shares.

THE HEIRS ARE FIGHTING.

The Oakland Gas Company Figures in the Case.

The matter of the estate of James P Rynders came up before Judge Greene this morning The man was in the interest of a minor heir named Henry Marshall with a view to having $45 000 worth of Oakland Gas Light and Heat Company included in the inventory of the estate of the deceased

The stock has not been mentioned because it is claimed by the executor of the estate that it was given as a Christmas present to Mrs John Scott a niece of the deceased and the wife of the executor

Attorney Jordan of San Francisco placed on the stand and said that he had told the executor, who had applied to him, that he did not consider there had been a proper delivery of the stock to the niece of Rynders and that therefore, the stock should be listed in the inventory

Mrs Scott was then placed on the stand and testified to the receipt by her from her uncle, Rynders of the $45 000 amount of stock which included 900 shares

Judge Greene was not satisfied with the examination and at 2 30 o clock this afternoon he subjected Mrs Scott to close examination as to how she had had come into possession of the stock

Before the examination by the Court was begun, Judge Greene invited the mother and the husband of Mrs Scott, and Mr Frick, all witnesses in the case, to retire into his chambers

The witness then stated that Rynders had given her the stock and that he had previously to giving her the stock told her several times that he intended to give it to her.

There was only one occasion on which any other person was present when Rynders told witness he was going to give her the stock On the occasion in question it was witness' mother who was present

When the stock was handed to her witness said that the tender was witnessed by her husband and Emil Frick She could not definitely state what hour of the day it was at which the stock was given to her.

STEINWAY IS DEAD.

The Famous Piano Maker Succumbs to Typhoid Fever.

How a Celebrated Family Made a Fortune in America.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30—William Steinway, the piano manufacturer died today of typhoid fever

Steinway, who had not been in good health for a year, was taken with typhoid fever about five weeks ago

He was thought to be progressing toward recovery, but Sunday had a relapse

Public funeral services will be conducted Wednesday afternoon at the Liderkranz Club Many societies of which Steinway was a member will parade

Steinway was born near Brunswick, Germany, March 5 1836 His father, Henry Englehard Steinway, was a piano manufacturer. At 14 he was an expert musician.

In 1849 Steinway's father sent his son Charles to this country to ascertain a possible field for the piano business here The report was favorable, and in June, 1850 the elder Steinway moved his family and business to New York City

Business at first was limited to the manufacture of one piano a week

Nine years later the Steinways built the present factory on Fourth avenue from Fifty-second to Fifty-third street

In 1862 additional factories were established at Astoria L I

William Steinway became head of the firm in 1889 He was always active in public affairs

In 1892 Steinway was one of the Democratic electors at large of New York He was a member of the original rapid transit commission and was reappointed on the new commission He was liberal in all business and personal relations

AROUND THE COURTS.

Litigation of Much Interest to Both Bench and Bar.

A F Schweer, E. Schween and John R. Hortenstein have been appointed to appraise the estate of Herman Schroeder, deceased

A W Bishop, Daniel J Mullins and Maurice Flynn have appraised the estate of Frederick C Lowry, deceased, at $3,150

Marie Alexandrine Courbaye has petitioned for letters of administration on the estate of her late sister, Augustine Eugenie Peron of Alameda. The estate is worth $1,500 and consists of a house and lot on Buena Vista street, Alameda The heirs are the petitioner and another sister, Jeannie Julie Manisse of Paris, France

Luzia F Rose has filed the first account of her guardianship of the person and estate of Manuel S Silva, a minor It shows the total amount received to have been $1 160 35, while $1,848 85 has been expended

LET'S PUT THE CASE

Here we are—doing business in Oakland!—employing Oakland labor—making MONARCH BAKING POWDER (the best) and manufacturing extracts spices and so on Do we deserve support? Ask your grocer for our goods

MONARCH Coffee and Spice Mill

OAKLAND, CAL.

HURT WHILE HUNTING.

Serious Accident to Three Boys on the Alameda Marsh.

While hunting in the Alameda marsh yesterday afternoon, Harry Canty aged 12 years was seriously injured by the accidental discharging of a gun, and his companions John Donavan and John Strick aged 12 and 13 years respectively, received slight wounds

Canty is at the Receiving Hospital in a precarious condition, the shot having penetrated his lungs Donavan received a charge of shot in the right hand and as a consequence two fingers had to be amputated

BURGLARS WERE BUSY.

Five Cases in Town Reported to the Police Station.

Five burglaries were reported to the police yesterday morning Four of them came from the Eureka Hotel where rooms were entered and minor articles stolen

The other report came from Fred Robinson, who rooms at the southwest corner of Eighth and Washington streets His clothes, jewelry and nearly everything in his room was taken

A MONTH IN JAIL.

James Carlin Gets Off Easily for the Ferry Affair

James Carlin one of the pair captured on the ferry a short time ago with other people's baggage in their possession, this morning was sentenced to thirty days' imprisonment There may be another complaint charging the prisoner with exhibiting a deadly weapon for he made his escape from the Deputy Sheriff once by exposing a revolver

Hawley Carlin's partner in crime, is in Monterey, standing trial for burglary.

A ROAD IN TROUBLE.

Appointment of a Receiver for a Traction Company.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov 30—Judge Dallas, in the United States Circuit Court today appointed William B Given of Columbus Pa receiver of the Pennsylvania Traction Company which operates fifty-nine miles of trolley railway in Lancaster County

It is understood the proceedings were instituted by those friendly to the present management and reorganization will be effected

The road cost over $3,000 000.

BOTH MIND AND BODY.

A Feast of Food Added to the One of Reason.

Successful Opening of the Lunch Room at the High School.

The High School luncheon opened today Long tables lined with rosy cheeked girls and bright faced boys enjoyed five and ten cent lunches provided by the High School cuisine Professor McChesney, Professor Meads and two or three other teachers enjoyed a simple repast with their pupils

There were six long tables in the room with covers laid for ninety-six Nearly eighty pupils took luncheon today Little cards at each cover announced the menu to be as follows

Soup	5c
Hash and one egg	5c
Baked Potatoes and Butter	5c
Stew	5c
Cup of Cocoa or Postum Cereal with Bread and Butter	5c
Baked Beans	5c

The food was excellent in quality and the three darkies gave prompt and efficient service

"The lunch is a success" announced Principal McChesney "We ought to have had this room opened long ago Now for a nickel a child can obtain something warm to eat or drink and this may save him from dyspeptic pangs in the future I think the plan is a success and I for one shall patronize the lunch room"

Professor McChesney stated distinctly that no one outside of the School Department would be allowed to purchase a lunch at the High School rooms

Mrs Hitchcock who has charge of the lunch room is encouraged by today's attendance but feels that it is too early in the day to call the enterprise a success She has employed four waiters and two cooks and has gone to considerable expense to make the luncheon attractive and to give wholesome, well prepared food.

W. H. JORDAN SHOT.

He Was Quarreling With a Very Persistent Collector.

By Associated Press to The Tribune

BOSTON Nov 30—In a little candy and fruit store on Broadway, in South Boston this forenoon H H Holmes shot W H. Jordan, the proprietor of the store, three times.

Jordan succeeded in cutting a deep gash in Holmes' throat before he fell to the floor exhausted

They quarreled over an unpaid bill.

It is believed both will die

Oakland Lost.

The team from the Oakland Whist Club was defeated Saturday by the San Francisco Whist Club team in the Payot contest by thirty-seven points The Oakland team consisted of Mr and Mrs Eby Mr and Mrs Frank Otis Mr Robinson and Miss Brown, Mr Walsh and Mrs Haslett, Mr and Mrs E F Palmer, Mr and Mrs E A. Heron, A W Havens and Miss Blackwood, Mr and Mrs A F Coffin

Reduced the Allowance

The family allowance of the widow of the late Franklin Moss was reduced from $200 to $75 a month.

ELECTION EXPENSES.

The Total Bills Will Foot Up Something Like $22,000.

MANY ARE ORDERED PAID.

Auditor Whidden Reports on the County Funds.

HEAVY DISBURSEMENTS MADE.

The Supervisors Hold a Brief, but Busy Session

A large portion of the time of the Supervisors was spent this morning, listening to the reading of and approving the numerous county bills which find their way to the Clerk's desk about the first of every month The Grand Jurors and election officers were nearly all ordered paid The election expenses for offices polling places and lights were found to amount to $11,132 though when the other necessary expenditures for publishing the proclamation, Great Register etc come in the total will be swelled to about $22 000

Liquor permits were granted to Alfred Py, Sunol Charles Steyer, Mission, B McDermott, Piedmont, Richard Hughes Shellmound, Raymond Fadle, Niles

The following communication was received from Frank Leed Secretary of the Pacific Poultry and Pigeon Association

In furtherance of our application to you for an appropriation toward our coming poultry show, I beg to mention a fact which we overlooked when we had the pleasure of appearing before your honorable body, that is our intention to give in our premium list, two thousand copies of which will be distributed all over the county, a map of the County of Alameda and a description of her resources These premium lists will reach the very Eastern class which promoters of immigration most deserve to meet—to wit small farmers, orchardists, stock and poultrymen, and this step in itself will we think, appeal to you as an item in itself of no light consideration"

The grade of Howe street from Moss avenue to Booth street was officially established by resolution

Joseph Pimental, Justice of Eden Township, filed his statement of fees for September and October It showed that $50 50 had been collected

D A Mendenhall, et al, petitioned for a bridge over the Mocho creek, where the road crosses on the Still property The petition was filed

W A Knowles, E C Sessions, Wilber Walker, J S Johnson, F J Woodward et al, petitioned the Board to vacate and abandon a portion of the Thorn Hill road near the summit which passes over the lands of the Oakland Water Company W J and Virginia Dingee This was deemed necessary, for the route to Moraga Valley has since been changed and the land is of no use Upon motion of Supervisor Talcott D C Brown, Wilber Walker and George Nusbaumer were appointed viewers to report at the next meeting of the Board

THE AUDITOR'S REPORT

The report of the County Auditor for the quarter ending November 2nd, was filed It showed the following figures

Receipts—State revenue, $9,553 64, County General, $11 787 54 County Infirmary, $1 374 30, common school, $3,334 94, salary $10 258 47, road and bridges, 32 774 12, law library, $513, Teachers Institute and Library, $50 road poll tax $21,140 personal property tax, $5 454 08

Sanitary Districts—Adeline, $6,059 56, school district bonds outstanding, $79,- Gate $23 50 Union High School, $1 $75 35, $2, $1 40 $3, $10 08 Special school—Fruitvale, $6,Lockwood, $4 Temescal $7 85, School bonds $61 79 Total $51 626 93, cash on hand, August 3, 1896 $298,518 11, grand total, $350,-144 14

Warrants outstanding, $12,243 77, school district bonds outstanding, 79 - 000

Disbursements—County General, $58 - 837 34, County Infirmary, $15 086 61, Law Library, $792 50, Common School $63,- 583 82 Teachers Institute,$79 30, salary, $27,562 74

Schools—Union High, No 1, $1,052 23, No 2, $1 527 44, No 3 $1,405 25

Roads—General Road Fund, $1 98, Altamont, $307 85, Alvarado, $527, Bay $305 50, Brooklyn, $776 50, Castro Valley $355 35 Centerville, $324 57, Claremont, $59 35, Dublin, $169 45, Fruitvale, $2,346 31, Mt Eden, $1 053 18, Mission $471 95, Murray $448 70, Newark $78 Niles, $598 15, Ocean View, $171 38, Peralta $190 50

Pleasanton, $345; Palomares $66 80, Piedmont $1,428 95, San Lorenzo, $752 - 15 Temescal, $397 70, Vallecito, $131 25, Washington, $685 97, road damage, $1,- 300

Sanitary Districts—Adeline, $6 637 70, Fruitvale No 1 $441 85 No 2 $225, Golden Gate, $227 50, Golden Gate, (additional) $275 Piedmont, $6 118 50, Vallejista $933 95 Union, $2 202 90

School Districts—Lockwood, $4, Fruitvale $51 30, Summit, $5, Temescal, $1, 672 Total, $202,201 79

Cash on hand November 2nd, $147,- 942 35, grand total, $350,144 14

A suitable resolution was passed transferring $2,046 62 from the County General Fund to the State Revenue Fund in order to pay the State Treasurer the amount due for the maintenance of persons committed to the Whittier Reform and Preston Schools Of this amount, Whittier gets $1,214 28, while the apportionment to Preston is $832 34

The Board then took a recess until 2 o'clock

At the afternoon session the Board immediately adjourned until next Monday The members then went to Fruitvale to inspect the new county road

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A Fine New Home.

It will suit you. Open for inspection Parlor 18x20, wood work all enameled white and gold mantel. Lower hall 11x24, redwood and Spanish cedar. Dining room 15x18, all finished in oak, fine side board with full front bevel plate glass, large oak mantel. The above rooms are all beautifully tinted and frescoed. Large kitchen. Five bed rooms 14x15 each, all finished in white wood and richly tinted. Upper hall 12x17. Bath room with walls and ceiling completely enameled, rolled rim porcelain bath tub Large cement basement, with furnace, and register to every room Incandescent wires, etc. Plate glass windows throughout. Will sell cheap. Excellent neighborhood. Close to business. Lot 54x143. Call and investigate.

G. B. M. GRAY, 463 Ninth Street

A BANK BREAKS.

The Missouri National Bank Succumbs to a Run

By Associated Press to The Tribune

KANSAS CITY Mo, Nov 30—Bulletin—The Missouri National Bank closed its doors this morning, owing to heavy withdrawals of one of its principal depositors

The deposits are $1,500 000 A statement of the bank's assets and liabilities is not yet obtainable

The bank was classed as one of the strongest in the Southwest

Shortly after 11 o'clock the following notice was placed on the door

"By order of the directors this bank has been closed and is in the hands of the comptroller

This action was precipitated by the withdrawal of $50 000 in one lump by Heim, a wealthy local brewer, whose action was quickly followed by others

The last statement issued by the bank showed deposits of $1 561,000 cash and exchanges $546,000

D V Rieger is president and D R Covington cashier

In the panic of July 1893 the Missouri National was one of the local institutions to go under, but soon reopened

The bank had been open today just an hour when the comptroller took charge

The officers were too excited to make a statement

Some surprised was evinced everywhere

No fears were expressed by the other leading bankers that the failure would spread

Two causes are assigned for the suspension One is slow collections and the other and prime reason was dissensions among the directors These finally led to a clash with the government

President Rieger said this afternoon "I have little to say except there is no doubt whatever that the depositors will get every dollar they deposited here and if the business is judiciously handled the stockholders should get a fair return

H A Forman of St Louis, National Bank Examiner for Missouri, is in charge of the bank.

MADE THE MARKS.

A Girl Who Has Important Information About a Robbery.

By Associated Press to The Tribune

KANSAS CITY, Nov 30—Fifteen-year-old Emma Taylon, an orphan, has been held as an important witness against the four men who, Thanksgiving night attempted to rob a car full of passengers at the Kansas City & Independent Electric line.

To Mrs James Townsend who cared for the girl a year ago when she was brought here from Council Bluffs, Iowa, as a student, she declared she had made their masks and knew their plans

She was recently released from the House of the Good Shepherd

The police believe she fell into the clutches of the gang and also that she can tell something of the Chicago and Alton robbery

WANT LOWER RATES.

An Appeal on Coast Business Filed With the Commission.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

DENVER Nov 30—A petition has been filed with the Inter-State Commerce Commission Washington, by representatives of the Santa Fe Rio Grande Rio Grande Western, Southern Pacific Colorado Midland and Union Pacific asking that these roads be permitted to charge less in the aggregate for longer distances between Colorado points and California than for shorter distances over the same lines

The purpose is that the railroads may be allowed to make a schedule of lower rates from Denver and other points in the State to the Pacific Coast than Salt Lake City

The Inter-State Commerce Commission has set the hearing on the petition for December 18th at Washington

GROVER GETS EVEN.

Those Who Fought Him in the Recent Campaign to Be Discharged.

By Associated Press to The Tribune

WASHINGTON, Nov 30—The President to-day made the following appointments and removals

Postmasters Illinois — Evanston, Charles Raymond, vice David P O'Leary, removed Missouri — Mexico, Luke W Morris, vice John W Mason, removed

The postmaster at Evanston was charged with going out of his jurisdiction to sell stamps and postal supplies so as to increase the receipts of his office and raise his salary and allowances.

The Mexico, Mo, postmaster was charged with pernicious activity in politics, insulting the President, and making attacks upon his alleged neglect of office He is a believer in free coinage of silver The complaints set out that during the campaign he made himself obnoxious by breaking up gatherings of the opposite political faith

About a hundred postoffices are involved in charges of pernicious activity in politics now filed with Postmaster-General Wilson They include a number of big offices

DE YOUNG CALLS.

The San Francisco Newspaper Man Is Visiting McKinley.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CANTON, Ohio, Nov 30—There have only on rare occasions been in Canton as many distinguished party leaders as are here today

Some members of Congress about to start for Washington stopped over to confer with the President-elect

Senator Lodge of Massachusetts arrived this morning and was with McKinley till 2 05

Hon M H De Young of the Chronicle of San Francisco and Mrs De Young arrived early this morning and were at the McKinley house some time, Mrs. De Young spending nearly the whole morning with Mrs McKinley

General Horace Porter of New York, who is expected to be Chief Marshal of the inaugural parade arrived at 1 o'clock this afternoon and went directly to McKinley's home

A COLD-BLOODED SNAP

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MADE HIS OWN WAY.

Death in Philadelphia of Ex-United States Senator Scott.

By Associated Press to The Tribune

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 30—J. S. Scott, ex-United States Senator to Pennsylvania and formerly solicitor of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, died in this city today after a brief illness, aged 71

Scott was a member of the Senate from 1869 to 1875, being succeeded by Wm A Wallace

He was born in Huntington County, Pa His educational advantages were confined to the primitive district schools of his day

He studied law with Judge Thompson at Chambersburg, who was also the legal preceptor of Senator Hendricks of Indiana

Scott leaves a widow and six grown sons

SAWED THE BARS.

Thirteen Prisoners Escape From the Wyandotte Jail.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

KANSAS CITY, Mo, Nov 30—Thirteen prisoners escaped from Wyandotte County Jail across the line of Kansas this morning

Three have been captured

All the available officers are scouring the country in pursuit of the ten others

The prisoners sawed their way out All save one Walter Wood, who is charged with murder were held for minor crimes.

The Miners' Trouble.

By Associated Press to The Tribune

LEADVILLE, Colorado, Nov 30—In the District Court today the cases against the officers of the miners' Union charged with being implicated in the murder of Fireman Jerry O'Keefe, who was killed during the attack on the Coronado mine September 27th last were dismissed on motion of the District Attorney, who said he had no evidence against them The hearing in the case of Charles Bone, and William Rowe, charged with the O'Keefe murder, was begun behind closed doors.

Shot as a Rebel,

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HAVANA, Nov 30—Quinten Hernandez, classed as "rebel incendiary," was shot this morning outside of Cabenas fortress.

PAID UNDER PROTEST.

Edson F. Adams Pays His Taxes Into the Treasury.

Edson F Adams this afternoon paid into the city treasury $2,304 32 as taxes on 76 acres owned by the Adams estate in the northern part of the city. Accompanying the money was a protest

The assessment is $456 300 The protestants set forth that $304 300 would be a fair valuation and that the County Board of Equalization made the reduction

MRS. COLT IS DEAD.

The Widow of the Revolver Inventor Passes Away.

Mrs Mary B Colt, widow of Judge James B Colt, inventor of the Colt's revolver died at midnight She was residing with her daughter, Mrs George Edwards, at 2530 Dwight Way, Berkeley

The deceased was a native of Baltimore, aged 72 years She lived in Berkeley for nearly fifteen years prior to her death

The funeral will be held Thursday.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Chris Milisich, Oakland	31
Katie Stratford, Oakland	20
Anthony D Pacheco, San Leandro	24
Beda L Peterson, Oakland	17
John T Hegerty, Berkeley	25
Anne M. Candboldt, Centerville	18
Nels Person, Berkeley	44
Matilda Johnson, Oakland	29
John H Davis, Berkeley	24
Margaret Lestrange, Berkeley	22
Manuel Fernandes, Oakland	26
Mary A Firmes, Oakland	20
George Peck, San Francisco	35
Bertna Zueger, San Francisco	18
Walter G Smith, San Francisco	18
Mae F. Mara, San Francisco	18

COURT CALENDAR.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1896.

Department 1, Judge Frick—Robinson vs Thompson, Courtner vs. Salz.

Department 2, Judge Ogden—Murdoch vs Oakland, San Leandro and Haywards Electric Railway Company.

Department 3, Judge Ellsworth—Spring Valley Water Company vs. J. L Beard

Department 4, Judge Greene—People vs Devencenzi and Michael Collins.

Delinquent Taxes.

Indications are that the delinquency in city taxes this year will be about $15,000 The taxes become delinquent at 6 o'clock to-night.

C. W. Kinsey, Dealer in Fine New and Second-Hand Furniture, Carpets, Ranges, Etc., Moderate furniture bought or exchanged. Auction sales on premises. Call and see us. 462-464 Thirteenth street.

BORN.

BAKAR—In this city November 25, 1896, to the wife of P. Bakar, twin sons

WHITE—In this city, November 29 1896, to the wife of Will B. White, Deputy Sheriff, a son.

DIED.

KING—In this city, November 29, 1896, Augustus B King, a native of London, England, aged 80 years and 3 months

ANGELL—In this city, November 28 1896, Elsie A Angell a native of Rhode Island aged 81 years, 11 months and 8 days.

FALKINGHAM—In Alameda November 29, 1896, Joseph Jewett Falkingham a native of Burnett, Wis aged 52 years and 12 days.

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S. W. Cor. 13th & Washington

SUMMONS.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California

Department No 3.

J. I CRISTY, Plaintiff,

vs.

A CRISTY, Defendant

Action brought in the Superior Court of the County of Alameda State of California, and the complaint filed in said County of Alameda in the office of said Clerk of said Superior Court

The people of the State of California send greeting to A Cristy defendant

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California and to answer the complaint filed therein within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after service on you of this summons, if served within this county, otherwise within thirty days

The said action is brought to obtain a decree of this Court dissolving the bonds of matrimony heretofore and now existing between plaintiff and defendant, and for such other relief as to the Court may seem proper, upon the ground of defendant's willful neglect, special references being made to the complaint on file herein for further particulars.

And you are hereby notified, that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint as above required, the said plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, this seventeenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six

(Seal) FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

By F H MASON, Deputy Clerk.

FRANK SHAY, Plaintiff's Att'y, 421 Parrott Building, San Francisco, Cal.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Charles B. Wells, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executrix of the estate of Charles B Wells, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice to the said executrix, at the office of E C Chapman, Mills Building, San Francisco, Cal., 7th floor, room 42-43, which said office the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Charles B Wells, deceased

MARGARET A. WELLS, Executrix of the estate of Chas B Wells, deceased.

Dated Oakland, Nov. 30th, 1896.

E. C. CHAPMAN, Mills Building, San Francisco, Cal., Attorney for Executrix.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

WANTED—An experienced girl to take care of one room, bath and baby, wages $10. Call 1094 Twelfth st., bet. Linden and Chestnut sts. Call in morning.

WANTED — Small furnished flat with bath; terms must be reasonable. Address M. S. T., Station "D," P. O., San Francisco.

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CLINTON G. DODGE—Rooms 15 and 16, 466 Broadway.

FOX & GRAY—Attorneys-at-law, Pacific Mutual Building, entrance 5, fourth floor, San Francisco.

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R. M. FITZGERALD — Attorney-at-law, 964½ Broadway, rooms 1 and 2, Oakland.

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$1,850—SIX rooms and bath; $17 per month; no cash down. Alden & Co., 908 Broadway.

SMALLEST Price on Record—$2100—an 8 room modern cottage (two rooms in attic) with lot 37½ x 100, at 776 Harrison street, Oakland. Investigate it. For particulars apply to Albert Schmidt, 620 East Twelfth street, East Oakland.

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REAL ESTATE.

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Peralta Heights—Lot 155x137 on Hanover ave., high and sightly, street work complete; this lot is worth $3,000, but we want an offer; can be sold in two lots; call soon. A. H. Blow, 1010 Broadway. 8

East Oakland—Cheapest lot on 9th ave., 50x150 feet; location first class, close to car line; call soon if you want a bargain. A. H. Blow, 1010 Broadway. 9

100 lots in the Glascock Tract, fronting on San Pablo ave., Myrtle, Filbert, 30th, 32d and 34th sts.; street work complete; these choice lots will be sold cheap and on easy terms. A. H. Blow, 1010 Broadway. 10

East Oakland—$2,000; nearly new modern cottage of 6 rooms, barn, lot 25x100, close to 23d ave. local station and Alameda & Oakland electric car line; small cash payment, balance payable monthly. A. H. Blow, 1010 Broadway. 11

Alameda—$1,250; lot 50x125 on Pacific st., near Chestnut, very cheap. A. H. Blow, 1010 Broadway. 12

65x100; cheapest lot on Piedmont ave. 13

Piedmont — 8 acres for sale at half its value. 14

Cheapest lot on Vernon Heights, 100x120; fine view of Oakland, Lake Merritt and hills. 15

$1,100; house of 3 large rooms, stable; lot 37.6x125 on Silver st., near Telegraph ave. car line. A. H. Blow, 1010 Broadway. 16

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$2,000—Story and a half modern cottage; situate in Alameda, on sunny side of Clinton avenue near Park street; contains six rooms and bath; lot 36x100; will exchange for Oakland property and assume mortgage. William J. Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

$2,000—Nice modern cottage of five rooms and bath; situate in Berkeley, on Channing way, near Shattuck avenue; lot 50x135. William J. Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

$1,500—Great bargain for immediate sale; 186x100; situate on East Twenty-fourth street near Eleventh avenue, East Oakland. William J. Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

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FOR SALE—Fine English pug dog, one year old, cheap. Apply morning, 1004 Filbert st.

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FRESH family cow three-quarters Jersey, young and gentle, for sale at 1223 East Twenty-first street. Take Eighth street car to Twenty-fifth avenue switch.

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A BLESSING to ladies suffering from irregularities and diseases peculiar to their sex; latest improved method of treatment; never fails; perfectly harmless; free from any bad effects; never makes them sick to make them well; travelers helped immediately; prices to suit the times; home in confinement. Dr. and Mrs. Davies, 34 McAllister st, next Hibernia Bank; consult free. French regulating pink pills, $2.

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REAL ESTATE.

$7,000—Fine residence, 9 rooms, on Telegraph avenue. A beautiful home. Large lot. Only offered for sale for special reasons. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st. 175N

$4,750—Special bargain, Harrison st. bet. 14th and Durant, 2-story house, 9 rooms and bath, lot 52x150; note the location. You cannot buy a lot for the same money. Will make exceptionally easy terms; you never had such an opportunity. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st. 204J

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$2,600—New 2-story 8-room house, convenient location, $100 cash and $30 per month. Splendid value and terms. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st. 175J

$2,000—7 acres, Piedmont, all fenced, running water, fine for chicken ranch. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st. AB3

$2,400—Modern 5 rooms and bath cottage, 16th st. near Brush. Lot 25x100. Bank loan $1,500. Tenant will take lease at $20 per month. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st. 174Q

$1,100—$100 cash, $15 per month, house 6 rooms and bath, lot 25x100, on sunny side of Lydia st. near Market. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st. 175H

$33 per foot, Telegraph ave.; only 45 feet at such an unusual bargain; worth double the price. Buy this before the election. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st. 139

$1,500—For another choice lot 37½x106, an exceptional location, 3 feet above grade of street, within walking distance of 14th and Broadway. Get location from our office. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st. 119

$3,750—Owing to removal to an interior city, will offer their new 9-room residence on Knox st., lot 40x150, complete in every detail. Terms $500 cash, balance easy. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st. 175N

$5,000—Special bargain, 12-room residence in five blocks of 12th and Broadway. $1,500 recently spent on premises. First class bargain in every respect. Only $1,000 cash. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st. 170C

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$4,500 — Alameda. Beautiful 8-room residence, built for a home; well located; to trade for home in Oakland, less value preferred. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st. 425O

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$20,000 — East Oakland. Magnificent 14-room residence, almost new; no better location; to trade for fine home or choice lot in San Francisco or Los Angeles. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st. 806K

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TO LEASE—50 acres improved land near Oakland. Apply to owner, 1176 E. 14th st., near 23d ave., East Oakland.

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TOUCH REGULATOR, Oakland invention; will make the keys on pianos heavy or light as the will of the players. Horning Bros., 216 Post st. S. F.

GROCERIES.

CRAFT & RUSSELL—Grocers; buy at home and save money. 552-554 East Twelfth, cor. Eleventh ave. Tel. 1011 main.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Nov. 27th, on Washington st., bet. 9th and 13th, pair of gold eyeglasses with chain. Finder please return to 1053 Broadway.

STRAYED — November 27th, brown and white hunting dog. Return to 1307 Castro st.; reward.

FOUND — Stray bay mare with white hind legs; owner can have same by paying costs. Dashaway Stables, 370 Eleventh st.

LOST—24th inst., a black Japanned tin box 4x6 inches; cash account book of Washington Blue Gravel Co. attached. Suitable reward if left at Ruedy's Hotel, Seventh and Franklin sts.

LOST—White bull terrier, male, about a year old; answers to name of Paddy; studded collar. Suitable reward if returned to 1308 Jackson st., Oakland.

BUTTERWORTH'S BROIL.

University Men Charge Their Defeat to His Account.

He Is on the Blacklist as Far as "Coaching" is Concerned.

BERKELEY, Nov. 30.—The complaints against Coach Butterworth are as loud as ever, new charges being brought up every day. He is said to have come out "just for fun." He stayed at the Palace, attended receptions, etc., every night, spent much of the remainder of his time in writing for the press, running down and discouraging the players, and what time was left, about two hours a day, he gave to coaching the team. For this he received $600 a month. It is a sure thing that Mr. Butterworth will not coach the Berkeley team next term.

The students' Aid Society is making active efforts to secure situations for such of the students as wish to work during the holidays.

The U. C. second eleven defeated the University of Nevada Saturday afternoon. They returned with the Glee Club yesterday.

A new gasoline motor has been put on the West Berkeley horse car system It will reduce the half-hourly trips to fifteen minutes each.

At the beginning of the term a list of all the students was placed in North Hall with an iron box for contributions. Each student was expected to place what he could each month in an envelope with his name, and place it in the box. The letter P is then place after his name for that month. So far about $100 has been collected, of which more than one-fourth has been given by freshmen.

Thayer, Dirshfelder and Dickie are preparing resolutions of regret for the death of Dr. Bonte. The resolutions will be passed by the Associated Students.

BUTTE'S BIG BLUFF.

The Montana Football Team Patting Itself on the Back.

IT IS "JOSHING" RELIANCE.

The Sting of Defeat Last Year Sticks in Its Throat.

HOWLS OF DISAPPOINTMENT.

Wailing Because Oakland's Players Will Not Go North.

The Butte football players are trying to have a lot of fun with the Reliance men, as will be seen by the following article which appeared in last Monday's Anaconda Standard:

BACK DOWN AND OUT.

The Reliance Football Team is Afraid of the Smoke Eaters.

A VERY BRILLIANT FLUNK.

Splendid Offer Was Made By the Buttes But the Californians Declined and Made Rank Excuses.

Reliance has flunked in a manner that is regarded as being thoroughly unsportsmanlike and cowardly, and if Butte is ever to even up the score with the Oakland players the opportunity will have to come later in the season. In preference to taking chances of losing two games to the team which they had already beaten twice, the members of the Reliance team yesterday refused to fulfill their engagement to play in Butte on Thanksgiving day, and in so doing they violated every law, written and unwritten, of amateur sport and declined the most flattering offer that has ever been made to a football team in the West. Their fear of the Buttee team is shown by the fact that in showing the white feather they threw over their shoulders something like $1,500, which they would have cleared in their trip to Butte.

As stated yesterday Reliance first agreed to come to Butte for two games on Thanksgiving and Sunday following for a guarantee of $1,500 and an option on 60 per cent of the gross receipts. Four days ago their manager, J. Cal Ewing, telegraphed that the guarantee would have to be raised to $1,800 with an option of 75 per cent of the gross receipts. It became apparent then that they were attempting to crawl out of the game by raising the guarantee to a prohibitive figure, and rather than give them that satisfaction Manager McMillan telegraphed back accepting their terms, and Ewing replied that his team would leave for Butte last evening. On Sunday another telegram was received demanding a guarantee of $2,000, with an option of 75 per cent of the receipts. Manager McMillan replied that this demand could not be acceded to and that Reliance wanted the earth. On reconsidering the matter, however, he wired Manager Ewing yesterday morning to come ahead and that he could have $2,000 or three-fourths of the gross receipts. No answer was received to this message and a few hours later, in order to put the Reliance in a still deeper hole, Charles W. Clark, president of the club, wired the Reliance Club offering them a guarantee of $2,500 or a percentage of the receipts. This was $1,000 more than Reliance had first agreed to play for, and it made it impossible for the team to decline on the ground of expense.

Manager Ewing wired back a brief message yesterday afternoon stating that the offer could not be accepted, as the team was not in condition. It may be stated that Reliance was in good enough condition to play the Olympics last Saturday, and Manager Ewing himself said then that the team was in perfect condition. The trip of Reliance to Butte would have cost it just $1,450, including stops at Seattle and Portland, and with games in those cities it could have easily cleared $1,500 on the trip.

The action of the Reliance in backing out of a game in which it saw a chance of defeat will occasion no surprise to people who are familiar with the history of that athletic organization insofar as it relates to the Butte team. When Reliance defeated the Buttes in this city last fall by a scratch every inducement was held out to them to play another game, but to no purpose. They were afraid of defeat and would take no chances. When the Buttes went to California last winter and were defeated by a combination of cracks who played under the Reliance colors the giants came up smiling and asked for another game, but fear again got the best of the Oakland men and they refused to meet them a second time. The Southern Pacific offered to transport both teams free of charge to Los Angeles for another game, and while the Buttes were delighted at the opportunity to redeem themselves, Reliance positively refused to make the trip.

After it was seen yesterday that Reliance had never intended to come to Butte negotiations were opened with the Olympics to fill their engagement, but the notice was too short. The Olympics' manager sent word, however, that he would be pleased to entertain a proposition from Butte later on and it is to be hoped that that team will be seen here before long. The Olympic Club is a grand organization and any engagement that is made with its football team will be lived up to to the letter. Personally, the Buttes would much rather play the Olympics than Reliance, although the latter would have been the better drawing card in spite of the fact that the Olympics shut them out in last Saturday's game.

In order that the public may not be disappointed in a Thanksgiving day game it is likely that a game will be played on that day between two elevens of the Butte team. The two teams could be so evenly matched as to play a closer and more interesting game than any that has been seen here this year.

The Ames team has abandoned the idea of a Western and Southern trip on account of the crushing defeat which it received in Butte, and will leave for home this morning. Several of the players would like to remain in Butte, and some of them may return later on and locate here.

LETTER LIST.

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Walker, R F	Wedder, Marian
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A YOUNG LEGISLATOR.

How Assemblyman-Elect North Won in Yolo County.

Assemblyman-elect Arthur W. North of Yolo County is in town. He is a brother of Assemblyman Hart North of this city and graduated from the State University. Mr. North enjoys the distinction of being the youngest man ever returned to the Legislature of California. He has only just turned his 22d year, but has been prominent for quite a while past, one of his exploits being his managing of the University track team on its successful trip East. Mr. North is a Republican, and as Yolo County is strongly Democratic he had a hard fight to encounter. As a matter of fact the county went 300 for Bryan, but Mr. North's personal popularity stood him in such good stead that he was elected by 542. He is the fourth Republican Assemblyman ever elected in Yolo County.

NOT THE SAME MAN.

P. Ferron Has Been Troubled by John Ferrin's Pranks.

Editor Tribune—Sir: Some time ago a party by the name of John Ferrin was arrested for embezzling some money from the Conniff Brothers, and my name being Ferron, I have been taken for the party above mentioned by a hundred people who did not know my initials.

I wish to say that my name is P. P. Ferron, and not John Ferrin. I wish you would kindly correct this matter, for it has been a great annoyance to me, and I have troubles of my own. Very respectfully.

P. P. FERRON.

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Alcazar—"End of the Century."

THE WEATHER.

WEATHER FORECASTS FOR THIRTY-SIX HOURS ENDING 5 P. M., PACIFIC TIME, TUESDAY.

Northern California: Fair this afternoon; increasing cloudiness and possibly rain in extreme northwestern portion tonight and in northern portion Tuesday; fair in southern portion; warmer; fresh southeasterly winds.

Southern California: Fair this afternoon, tonight and Tuesday; warmer; light easterly winds.

For San Francisco and vicinity: Fair this afternoon and tonight; increasing cloudiness Tuesday and possibly rain; warmer; fresh southeasterly wind.

ALEXANDER G. McADIE,
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MONDAY.....NOVEMBER 30, 1896.

Dr. Eward S. Holden, Director of the Lick Observatory, has received the Decoration of Knight of the Royal Order of the Dannebrog of Denmark. This ancient order was founded in A. D. 1219, as a mark of military distinction, but is conferred in the present case for service to science. Dr. Holden receives more honors from abroad than he does in the State where he is rendering such important service. Few men devoted to science have encountered more hostile criticism than Dr. Holden. Most of it has originated in California.

The Record states that there is a "doctor factory" in West Congress street, Chicago, which furnishes diplomas to order: "Dr. Rutland, however, with that enterprise which always characterizes a certain class of citizens, does not seem to think it necessary that a man should wait until 40 to become a physician, nor that a long and laborious course of study is requisite as long as diplomas can be manufactured so cheaply by the gross. The applicant at the "college" can secure his diploma while he waits, if his conscience happens to be as elastic as that of the head of the institution, and if he does not happen to have the price of the diploma by him it can be sent C. O. D." The leading medical colleges now require an attendance of three and four years before an honest diploma can be obtained. In Philadelphia the man who sold medical diplomas brought up in the penitentiary. The Chicago doctor ought to bring up in a similar place.

These interesting historic incidents are recalled about Cuba by the Boston Herald: In 1848 President Polk authorized the American Minister at Madrid to offer $100,000,000 for Cuba—a proposal which Spain regarded as a National indignity. Six years later came the seizure of the American steamer Black Warrior in the port of Havana, by order of the Spanish authorities, on the flimsy pretext that she was engaged in aid of a filibustering expedition. The American Minister at Madrid was instructed to demand redress in the form of indemnification to the owners of the vessel in the sum of $300,000. The Spanish authorities justified the outrage, and in the burst of popular indignation which followed proposals were renewed for the purchase of the island. As an incident to these, Secretary Marcy suggested to Minister Mason in Paris and Minister Soule at Madrid that they should hold a conference for the purpose of adopting measures to secure concert of action in aid of negotiations with Spain looking to the acquisition of the island.

The outcome of this meeting, held first at Ostend, and afterward at Aix-la-Chapelle, was one of the most original manifestoes of our diplomatic history. In this it was suggested that an effort should be made to purchase Cuba at a price not to exceed $120,000,000, and that the proposal should be laid before the Spanish Cortes, then about to assemble. The trio of ministers set forth the great advantages that would accrue to all parties concerned from the transfer of sovereignty, how the oppression of the Spanish authorities in Cuba would inevitably lead to insurrection, and they recommended in conclusion that in the event of absolute refusal of Spain to sell the island it would be proper to take it away from its "oppressors" by force. "We should," said the Ministers, "be justified by every law, human and divine, in wresting it from Spain if we possess the power." The Pierce Administration did nothing, and Minister Soule was so disgusted that he resigned his place as Minister to Spain.

The Coming of a Noted Man.

Every year the Philosophical Union of Berkeley, of which Professor Howison is the master spirit, secures a short course of lectures from some distinguished scholar and educator. This year Dr. William T. Harris, United States Commissioner of Education, will deliver a course of five or six lectures at Berkeley. Dr. Harris is the author of many books on educational subjects. He is recognized as one of the foremost men of the modern school of philosophy. It will be a great occasion for Berkeley. Professor Howison has made his own department of philosophy a leading one in the University, and he has at the same time spared no effort to interest the larger public in philosophical studies and investigation. Dr. Harris will speak one evening before the Berkeley Club. That meeting, however for lack of room, will be limited to members and a few guests.

New Methods of Voting.

What is known as the Australian ballot system, with certain modifications, has on the whole, been more satisfactory than any other method. It has the advantage of secrecy. Every lawful candidate has his name printed on the ballot. There is a complete classification by which every voter can know the political complexion of each candidate. This form of balloting insures a good degree of discrimination. The voter determines his choice of candidates alone; and when an election is honestly conducted, it is not possible for any one else to know the character of the ballot cast. This plan generally secures quiet and orderly elections.

One of the objections urged against the system is that an enormous blanket ballot must be provided. Another is that the counting of such ballots is necessarily very slow. A third objection is that voters under this system, make many mistakes. The method assumes that the voter will have such a degree of intelligence that he can not only read names, but can discriminate between one class of candidates and another. It is noted that the longer this method is in use the fewer are the mistakes made.

Public attention has recently been turned to the use of voting machines as a substitute for the Australian ballot system. It does not appear from reports made of the trial of these machines in several places at the recent election, that they gave entire satisfaction. In some instances they failed to make an accurate record of the votes. It appears from the testimony that no perfect voting machine has yet been invented to this date. But there is almost a certainity that a perfect voting machine will yet be produced.

The requisites are simplicity. No intricate machinery will answer the purpose. The machine must be so simple and accurate in its working that it cannot get out of order, and cannot fail to record every vote. This simplicity must include cheapness. There must also be as complete secrecy as is now insured by the Australian ballot system. Now while such a voting machine has not yet been provided, there is no good reason to suppose that it is beyond the ability of inventors to bring one to such perfection that it will meet all the demands for accuracy, safety, simplicity and economy. When the perfected machine appears it will slowly work its way into general use on its own merits, while no amount of writing up will ever induce the people to tolerate any voting machine about which there is a suspicion of any imperfection.

A Touch of Winter.

The delay of the overland mail today six to eight hours on account of "blizzards" and snow drifts beyond the Sierras, suggests that winter has come in earnest. It has come in California a little stronger accentuated than usual. Yesterday was a heavenly winter day—a clear sky and crisp atmosphere, with hardly a ripple on the bay. A cutting north wind prevailed for two or three days last week which sent the mercury down to near the freezing point. There have been a few white frosts, and the sharp atmosphere brings a slight shiver, especially to people who have never had the experience of having been dug out of a snow drift. There may have been ice in a few places, but none worthy of mention. With six inches of rain already and more to come, there will be a green Christmas.

The great Wire Nail Trust which covered the United States and Canada since June 1895, has collapsed. It included the nail factory in this city, which under the terms of the trust has been idle. The New York Tribune gives these particulars: "For this and kindred purposes the trust imposed a pool tax of $1.50 a keg on all the nails sold by its members and rebated to them the difference after the objects sought were accomplished. A fund of $1,500,000 was returned to members on the showing made four months ago, but since that time the trust's officials and committees have incurred liabilities of much more than this in their desperate fight to keep the trust going. These liabilities will have to be met by the individual mills composing the trust, and a long period of litigation is highly probable. The advance of 15 cents a keg ordered by the trust at its March meeting in this city was the last act which marked the trust's doom. This put the base price of nails at Pittsburg at $2.55, which, under the peculiar terms of its nail card, meant that the lowest figure at which any nails could be bought there was $3.05 a keg. This resulted in an immense curtailment of the demand, and in turn forced the trust to close up 90 per cent of its mills and throw its workmen out of employment in order to reduce the output to comply with consumers' needs. The entire sales of nails by the trust mills during July were but 30,000 kegs and in August but 25,000 kegs, though the output agreed upon those months was 60,000 and 50,000 kegs, resepectively. The March output reached 950,000 kegs.

The installation of Dr. J. Minot Savage as associate pastor with Dr. Collyer of New York, was made a remarkable occasion by the number of celebrities brought together. Dr. Edward Everett Hale in the course of his sermon made some severe strictures on certain religious corporations: "If the duty of ministers was only to preach the Word of God, their work, he said, would be easy; but they were called upon to combat the retrogressive tendencies of "corporations of priests, pharisees and professors." As an instance of these tendencies he pointed to the practical rejection of the revised version of the Bible by the large societies and other sources of distribution of religious works. Depite the fact that the Convocation in England fifteen year ago found thousands of errors in the old versions of the Bible and expunged them, the bodies to which he alluded persisted in adhering to the Bible of James II. The only excuse that was offered by the Bible Society was that its charter said it must have the version "in common use," but this the preacher, in effect, characterized as mere prevarication, and that modern railways ought, on the same principle, still to run locomotives after the design of Stevenson's first effort. In emphatic tones he spoke of the "idolatry" of these corporations, in which they worshiped the past and turned their backs to the rising sun. "They despise the things that are before and turn back and worship the things that are behind."

The Winter Climate.

Whitelaw Reid, editor of the New York Tribune, spent the greater part of a year in Arizona, making his home at Prescott. He describes at some length, the climate as he found it at several points in Arizona. He gives that climate the preference to any he found in Egypt. He had the advantage of being within the limits of the United States, with telegraphs and rail roads within call. For people having pulmonary tendencies, probably Arizona furnishes one of the most favorable climates in the world. It is better than that of Florida or any of the West India Islands, or any found on the borders of the Mediterranean.

There are thousands of invalids who find both the winter and summer climate of California very satisfactory. They escape the extremes of heat and cold. There are some thousands in all who every winter leave the Eastern States for a milder climate. A large number of them come to California. San Francisco and Oakland have good winter climates. There is the additional advantage of good hotels and private boarding houses where every comfort can be obtained.

For an all round winter and summer climate, California has the best in the Union. The heats of Arizona and the cold of Colorado are two important exemptions. That cannot be otherwise than a good climate where the great crop of oranges both north and south of San Francisco is just ripening for the market; and plows are running in a thousand fields for the seeding of the great crop of wheat for the coming June harvest. Arizona a part of the year for pulmonary people; but California for people with good lungs, all the time.

The Future of Real Estate.

There can hardly be room for a doubt that real estate values have touched the lowest point of depression, and that with the beginning of the New Year, or soon thereafter there will be a gradual uplift of values in nearly all realty. There will be no sudden jumping up nor is it probable that there will be any thing like an old fashioned boom. There will be a gradually increasing demand as a consequence of an increase of business confidence.

It is not probable that eligible real estate will be as low in the scale of prices for many years to come, if within the memory of the present generation. The sag has not been comparatively greater than in many other properties. Real estate has great staying power. It is all there for better of for worse. It is there in the long run, for the betterment of a majority of owners. Most people never lose confidence in real estate values. They believe that there is a good future.

The fluctuations of real estate values have probably been as great in Chicago as in any city in the Union. But the uplift always came, and the men who held on, or bought at low prices, nearly always made money. The experience of real estate men in Chicago only differs in degree from that in most other growing cities. After the depression, the quickened market and the gradual advance in prices. As much as this may be safely predicted for real property in this city of Oakland and in all the outlaying districts.

Clara Barton, President of the Red Cross Society which has done such a good work for the relief of Armenians, has just made a detailed report of the Armenian Relief Expedition that was sent out to Constantinople. She estimates that there are from 100,000 to 200,000 Armenians who are still destitute of shelter, rainment, fire, food, medicines, the comforts that tend to make human life tolerable, or any means of obtaining them save through the charitable beneficence of the world. These same estimates concur in the statement that without such outside support at least 50,000 of these persons will have died of starvation or perished through accumulated hardships before the first of May, 1897.

The work of enlarging the Erie Canal begins this winter after navigation ceases. Nine million dollars have been set apart for these improvements. Four thousand men will be given employment. The Erie Canal will be deepened to 9 feet. This addition of 2 feet to the present depth will admit boats 16 feet longer, with freight capacity enlarged one-half. It is probable that the seven locks at Lockport will be replaced with an elevator lock, lifting boats 62 feet to the higher level. The necessary rock blasting and dredging can be done to advantage in the course of the winter.

EVENTS OF THIS DATE.

A Daily Resume of History for Your Scrap Book.

On November 30th of the years mentioned occurred the following interesting events in the world's history:

HOLIDAYS.

Andrew, Sapor, Isaac, Mahanis, Abraham, Simeon, Marses.

BIRTHS.

1549—Sir Henry Savil, scholar.
1667—Jonathan Swift.
1809—Mark Lemon, dramatist.

DEATHS.

1608—William Gilbert, writer on magnetism.
1654—John Selden, author of "Table Talk."
1750—Maurice, Marshal Saxe.
1863—James Sheridan Knowles.
1874—William F. Havemeyer, Mayor of New York, aged 70.
1882—Gen. Daniel Tyler.
1885—Francis M. Bangs, eminent New York lawyer, Ocala, Fla.
1886—Joseph Melin, painter, Paris, 71.
1894—Joseph E. Brown, ex-Governor of Georgia.

OTHER EVENTS.

1016—Edmond Ironside, colleague of King Canute, assassinated.
1700—Battle of Narva, Russia.
1729—Massacre of the French (700) at Natchez, by the Indians.
1782—Preliminary treaty of peace between America and England.
1797—Anti-slavery petition presented to Congress by Quakers of Philadelphia.
1807—Portuguese Court emigrated to Brazil.
1853—Russians destroyed the Turkish fleet at Sinope, Asia Minor.
1864—Battle of Franklin, Tenn.
1874—Kalakaua, King of the Hawaiian Islands, landed at San Francisco.
1883—Loss of the steamer "Manisteo" on Lake Superior; 17 lives lost.
1885—The business portion of Savannah, N. Y., destroyed by fire.
1886—John Dillon arrested in Dublin for treason.
1888—Burning of mines at Calumet, Mich., eight miners killed.
1891—Mayor Harry White of Seattle, Wash., resigned his office.
1892—Nicaragua Canal Convention opened in New Orleans, La.
1894—The United Evangelical denomination organized.
1895—H. H. Holmes sentenced to death at Philadelphia for murder of B. F. Pietzel.

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Alpaca is the prettiest material for an old lady. Purple, gray, black and a soft brown are the best colors. If dear old grandma is short and stout, the dress would best be made with a very full skirt and a long, pointed basque. The sleeves should be scant and plain.

The old lady who is tall and thin may be attired much more prettily. Her skirt should be rather scant, and may have an embroidered front panel, or one of some fancy material. The bodice is tight fitting and ends about three inches below the waist in a point front and back. A A simulated yoke is formed by means of a piece of ribbon fastened in a point at the middle of the back and traced over the shoulders to a point in front. Here it ends in a large bow of black silk, with long ends edged with lace. This bow prettily conceals the outlines of the figure, and a flounce of alpaca over the sleeves adds width to the shoulders.

The wrists are finished with a flounce of fine lace, perhaps a piece that grandma has treasured for years.

The throat should be finished with a stiff bow of silk, separately finished and hooked to the dress. Then, if too warm, it may be removed, revealing a high turn-over collar.

NOTES AND EXCERPTS.

The Galveston News gives a history of the Culberson letter to the effect that Mr. Culberson wrote to Prince Bismarck and put a two cent stamp on the letter. The Prince would not take it out of the Postoffice, and it was sent back marked "refused." Then Mr. Culberson put a five cent stamp on the letter and received a reply. The person who tells the story draws this moral from it: "Mr. Culberson, a free silver man, writes a letter to a German bimetallist and puts half the required amount of postage on the envelope. The letter is refused because there is not enough postage on it. Yet, in the face of this, Mr. Culberson and his friends expect to make a dollar out of 53 cents' worth of silver, and expect the people of foreign nations to take it. See the point?"

Nicholas II is the fourth Czar of Russia to visit France, but none of them came under more attractive conditions nor was any one of them welcomed more enthusiastically. Peter the Great went to Paris in 1716 and astonished the Parisians by his boorishness. Alexander I was there just before the first abdication of Napoleon, and again after the battle of Waterloo, and his visits were not particularly pleasing to the French, even though his education had been thoroughly French. Alexander II went to Paris twenty-nine years ago, and his reception was a royal one. Now Nicholas II is there. He comes as the great friend of France, as the ruler of an allied nation. It is indeed a strange combination, this one of France and Russia, and France is doing her best to show how she welcomes it. It will be instructive and most interesting to observe the results of the visit.—Boston Herald.

"There can no longer be any question," writes a "down East" correspondent, "that the French are in Maine to stay. Their numbers are placed at about 55,000, half of whom are congregated in the manufacturing cities of Biddeford, Saco, Lewiston, Auburn, Waterville and Brunswick. When they arrive from Canada they are nearly always poor and unskilled, but they are quick to learn and are generally industrious enough to be valuable to their employers. Between 3,000 and 4,000 are owners of real estate, with property valued at something like $2,500,000.

Ex-Senator Sawyer of Wisconsin had both of his daughters trained to kitchen work as though he was a poor man. After serving a party of his friends to an excellent Thanksgiving dinner, and when the dessert was served, each of the daughters found under her plate a check for $25,000.

and wears aristocratic clothes.

Professor Goldwin Smith wrote an article on the American crisis, of a distinctly pessimistic sort, two weeks before our election. The professor gazed out at the struggles going on in these States, with a mind sickled o'er with the pale cast of thought. Among the States which he placed in the doubtful column were California, Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, West Virginia, Minnesota and Maryland. All of which goes to show that hindsight is better than foresight.—New York Evening Sun.

HUMOROUS.

"Now, Johnny, what is the meaning of the word 'hypocrisy?'," asked a Texas Sunday School teacher of her favorite pupil, Jonnie Chaffie.

"I can't explain what it is, but I know just the same."

"Give me an example of hypocrisy."

"When a fellow says he loves the Sunday school teacher—that's hypocrisy."—Texas Siftings.

She was an intensely romantic girl. Her soul was ever occupied with yearnings for the unattainable.

Why, she hadn't been in the railway car ten minutes before she wanted the window opened.—Detroit Tribune.

It is really a wise man who so manages matters that it is his father who does the work of accumulating a fortune, and leaves himself free, as to time and effort, to disseminate the money.—Boston Transcript.

Master (addressing his Irish manservant)—Terrence, I'm going into the country to stay at my mother's place. If Mr. Dubley calls, tell him that I'll be back on Tuesday.

Terrence—Begorra, I will, sir! And (after a pause) what will I be after saying to him if he doesn't call, sor?—London Tit-Bits.

She was in a merry mood when her husband came home that evening.

"You have often said, dear," she remarked, affectionately, "that women haven't any sense of humor."

"They haven't."

"You don't give us the credit we deserve. I'll admit that my sense of humor is not very great. But any faculty can be developed with cultivation."

"Have you been cultivating your sense of humor?"

"Yes."

"How did you go about it?"

"Do you remember that article in the paper at which you laughed so heartily last night?"

"No. I don't undertake to remember everything that amuses me."

"Well, I got it and read it. It was about how a woman goes out and buys bargains all day long and surprises her husband with bills for bonnets and makes him get her a sealskin sacque whether he wants to or not."

"Yes; I recall it now. So you have been cultivating your sense of humor by reading that?"

"Oh, I didn't stop with simply reading it."

"What—what did you do?" he inquired in a voice that was hoarse with apprehension.

"I went out this afternoon and bought bargains, just as the woman in the article did, and here's the bill for the bonnet. All that is needed now to make the joke complete is for me to tease you for a sealskin sacque. And, don't you know, dear, I think it's all too delightfully funny for anything."—From the Detroit Free Press.

"The Bryan movement might have more dignity if it had been supported by a single great State east of the Mississippi and north of the Ohio," says the Laurens (S. C.) Appeal. "The outcome indicates a reflected light—the little Utahs, Idahoes and Wyomings—as little moons, receiving their light from the mighty orbs manipulated by Tillman, Evans, Watson and Morgan, and faintly shed through the mists of the mighty Mississippi. A verdict like this rendered by the strongest nation morally, and in fact physically, ends a matter. There is no appeal."

Trunks Packed to Order.

Things will soon be so ordered that women need never do anything at any time for any purpose they don't choose to do. They have now the perambulating manicure, the floating darner and duster, the woman who comes to remodel and furnish over and the woman who calls each day to water the house plants and nip off the dead leaves; the curler who curls the children's bangs and the reader who keeps the mother informed on politics and brings her a ready made opinion about the latest novel. Now comes the trunk packer.

"When do you start?" is asked of a traveler.

"At 6; I have three-quarters of an hour yet," leisurely consulting her watch.

"But your packing; will you have time?" is the anxious inquiry.

"Plenty. I have an expert packer and will have nothing to do when I go upstairs but to put on my hat and coat."

The successful trunk packer must be a woman of no mean order of intelligence. She must be able to divine the most suitable places for articles, large and small, and possess discrimination enough to know just what to leave out and what to put in of her employer's effects. She must have the knack of folding sleeves so that they won't crush and of manipulating voluminous skirts in a satisfactory fashion. She must be certain not to put a chiffon waist under a cloth jacket or fold a velvet bodice so that its beaded trimming will press into the fabric and mar its freshness. Above all, she must possess a strong back, for the much-talked-of adjustable trunk brought out last year, with folded-under legs to elevate it for convenience, has proved a failure. The folded-under legs made it heavy and nobody would have it.—From the Chicago Chronicle.

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Saturday morning he made his strange request at a Filbert street residence. The servant girl had just left for the grocery to buy a yeast cake and a dozen eggs and the lady of the house was alone.

She happened to be in the kitchen when there was a knock at the back door, and thinking it was the butcher boy, she said "come in." The new tramp entered. He closed the door behind him to shut out the cold and looked at the lady.

"Well, what do you want?" she asked.

The visitor rubbed his hands by the fire and slowly replied, "any old thing." I want shoes, a shirt, a coat, something to eat, and I want a wife."

Mildly stated, the lady was frightened. The family revolver was in the second bureau drawer up stairs, and there was not a person in the house to save her perhaps from an unwilling matrimonial alliance. She had her presence of mind, however, and as coolly as possible she asked the caller how he expected to support a better half, at the same time opening the door leading to the back stairs. The tramp's reply was interrupted by the lady's call to a pretended person. "Tell your papa to come down and get his hot water for shaving, Allie," she said.

The tramp said nothing, but opened the door and quietly stole away.

COUNTY TAXES.

The First Instalment Becomes Delinquent Next Monday.

County Tax Collector Barber was as busy as ever this morning piling away the stacks of coin which his deputies were receiving for county taxes. The amount thus far collected by him of the first installment of taxes is $554,378. This installment of taxes will become delinquent at 6 o'clock tonight.

AS OTHERS SEE US.

The Oakland thieves who enter houses and carry away the furniture are not quite up to the New York work yet. In that progressive city the light-fingered gentry make a clean job by taking up the carpets and carting them away also. We are pleased to note that Alameda has not yet arrived at this progressive work.—Alameda Encinal.

The young Oakland lady who is heartbroken because of the frailty and perfidy of the young man she was engaged to marry, should cheer up and rejoice that she should have discovered his true character before marriage.—Los Angeles Express.

A Chance for Teachers.

Superintendent of Schools McClymonds is today mailing to the teachers of the department a notification that the railroad company will give a two-thirds rebate to such of them as attend the annual meeting of the California State Teachers' Association, to be held in San Jose, commencing December 28th. Special rates have also been made with the hotels.

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MUSICAL MATTERS.

A Charming Lot of Concerts Being Given in Oakland.

MANY MORE ON THE LIST.

The Goodsell Musicale Is to Occur This Evening.

ARTISTS ARE ALL BUSY.

Good Numbers Given by the Friday Morning Club.

There has been very little to chronicle in the musical world so far as Oakland is concerned, during the past week. This evening the postponed concert will be given by the Misses Goodsell in Reed Music Hall, on Thirteenth and Harrison streets, and it promises to be of more than ordinary interest.

Both young ladies are favorites in the musical and social circles, and the attendance should be large. They will be assisted by some of the best talent, though they could easily give a full entertainment by themselves.

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Alex T. Stewart has refused the offer lately made him to take charge of the music in the Centenary Methodist Church of Chicago, Rev. A. C. Hirst, pastor, and which was announced in the musical column of the Tribune at the time. Mr. Stewart could have had the position if he would have agreed to a permanent residence in Chicago, which he was not yet ready to do, Oakland ties being too strong. He will spend the season in hard musical study, largely consisting of a study of the orchestral conducting methods of Theodore Thomas and chorus work with W. L. Tomlins. Violin, theory and vocal studies, with the best instructors, will also be pursued. Mr. Stewart expects to return to Oakland in time for the opening of next year's musical season.

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It was a short but excellent programme which was presented before the Friday Morning Club last week. Miss Caroline Little, who was in unusually good voice, sang a couple of little love songs charmingly, "Thine" and "I Ask Thee Not." Miss Mabel Cohen of Alameda gave two piano solos, Scarlett's "Siciliano" and "Tempo di Ballo." Miss Margie Gaskill sang very sweetly Rubenstein's "Since First I Met Thee."

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There was some very good music at the poster show in Ebell Hall the other evening, although the noise and talking of the crowd certainly taxed the vocalists' patience and voices. Rickard was in excellent voice and sang splendidly. He was encored twice and was most generous in his responses.

The noise certainly detracted a little from Miss Gretchen Bernett's rendition. Her sweet, rich tones showed that she was making an effort to be heard. In her encore, Tosti's "Could I," the audience was quieter and her singing was as charming and richly sympathetic as ever.

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Honors were divided between Miss Sofia Newland and Miss Esther Needham at the musicale in Masonic Hall Thursday evening. Their solos were exquisite, and both won encores. The duo given by the two young ladies fully deserved the warm applause it won. Their voices blended perfectly, and were true and pure in tone. It was a delightful selection, and the encore was warmly given.

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W. J. McCoy of Santa Barbara has assumed the leadership of the First Congregational Church Orchestra. He hails from Santa Barbara with the best of recommendations, and will prove an important addition to the orchestra.

The regular rehearsals will be resumed Tuesday evenings, and already the orchestra is figuring on a concert to be given soon.

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Alfred Wilkie's opera, "Heroes of '76," is to receive an elaborate production at the California Theater on Friday evening next. It is given under the auspices of a large number of patriotic American societies in conjunction with the French colony of San Francisco.

Alfred Wilkie assumes the role of "Roger, the gallant and heroic," while his son, Master Fred Wilkie, takes the part of "The Little Corporal." A large chorus will also assist.

As the title indicates, the opera deals with the military happenings of Continental times. The closing numbers comprise solos and choruses of rejoicing at the happy result of the long conflict for independence, and a grand tableau of General Washington and General Lafayette, with personations of America, Victory and Peace, concluding with the singing of "America" by principals, chorus and audience.

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On Thursday night, December 3d, at the Macdonough Theater, we are to make the acquaintance of Mme. Bloomfield-Zeisler, a pianist who has already had a reputation everywhere else. Mme. Bloomfield-Zeisler has won some extraordinary praise. The New York Tribune says of her: "She is an artist whose career it has been a pleasure to watch, for it has been one of steady growth on lines which are wholly sound and freed from all of the adventitious or sensational. Her triumphs in Germany were not only genuine, but so brilliant as to lift her into the front rank of concert giving piano forte players into a land peculiarly rich in pianists of both sexes. Aggressive virtuosi who were the bodyguard of Liszt in his last years, professors from the conservatories of the Fatherland and brilliant fledglings from Vienna and Paris vied with the little woman from Chicago, but she has maintained herself against them all and fairly divided some of the highest honors of the concert room only with Paderewski and the musical woman, also from America, Mme. Carreno."

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Ellen Beach Yaw, who appears shortly at the Macdonough Theater, has one of the most wonderful voices on record. The most remarkable point about Yaw's singing is that she sings in her lower register with the breadth of a contralto; it is full of sympathy and the quality is most excellent. She trills in her high register so clearly and with such purity of tone that one listens breathlessly.

From her infancy Miss Ellen Beach Yaw evinced a decided taste for music, and at four years of age she was known to her family and friends by the sobriquet of "Prima Donna." No special attention was given to her voice until she was six years of age, when a quartette of musicians, hearing of little "Ellen Yaw," asked and were granted permission to teach her the then popular song, "Way Down in Maine." In an old fashioned sunbonnet and gingham dress she made her first bow to the public and electrified her audience.

Now she outclasses Patti in both range and compass, while some musical critics are of the opinion that she does equally as well in execution.

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Monday Italo Campanini, the great tenor, died at his home near Parma. Italo Campanini was one of the greatest tenors of the century. He sang in every country in Christendom, and at the zenith of his career created a furor equaled by but few of the great artists. In addition to a magnificent natural voice, he enjoyed the advantage of a training that made him a master of vocalization. There was probably no singer known who better understood the methods of tone production or who employed them with better results. Even when with advanced years his voice lost that sweetness and purity which had won plaudits from great audiences, Campanini still commanded the admiration of his listeners by the artistic handling of his voice.

Signor Campanini made several tours in America, appearing in nearly all the principal Eastern cities, meeting with universal success. He visited San Francisco several years ago, appearing in concert at the Grand Opera House. Although then possessing but the echo of the voice which had made his name famous the world over, he had still the power to thrill lovers of music.

A number of years ago Campanini purchased an estate near Parma, Italy, not far from that of the great composer Verdi, and it was there that the great tenor's life passed. THE TENOR.

MUSICAL WORSHIP.

Excellent Services Being Given at St. Paul's.

The evening services at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Harrison and Fourteenth streets, are one of the attractions of devotional service in this city. There is no form of worship more impressive than that which has for a basis choice classical music. Music is the highest form of worship; it touches the heart when other forms fail to make an impression. Nature is full of music, from the sweet, sighing zephyrs which murmur plaintive minor strains among the pines, or dally with Aeolian harp strings of flowering shrubbery and trailing vines, to the deep toned organ notes of old ocean and the battle hymns of the storm. Music is nature's worship, and without it worship is cold and soulless.

The vested choir of St. Paul's, reinforced by the sweet voices of thirteen young ladies, under the masterly direction of Prof. Bartlett, together with the able and interesting discourses of the rector, Rev. Robt. Ritchie, has given new life to the evening services of the church, attracting large audiences, especially the young people of the city. These musical and intellectual religious treats are permanent features of the church service.

The Sunday School of the church has also adopted music as one of its chief attractions, and with success. B.

CLEVER SINGERS.

Mrs. Eva Wren's Concert Was a Very Flattering Success.

The concert given by Mrs. Eva Wren in Centennial Church was a success of which Mrs. Wren may justly be proud, as the seating capacity of the church was taxed to its utmost and the audience unusually appreciative.

Miss Ethel Fleming opened the programme by a very effective rendition of Chopin's "Grande Valse, op. 42." Miss Retena Owens is a dramatic reader new to Oakland audiences; her manner is pleasing and her voice agreeable. The feature of the evening was the violin playing of Mr. Llewellyn Hughes, who displayed a mastery over his instrument and a sympathy with the composer that promise well for his future. The whistling of Miss Mary E. Gray was very artistic and greatly enjoyed. Miss Esther Needham was in excellent voice and the rich tones of her deep contralto were heard to advantage in the "Cradle Song," by Vannah and the encore, "Celeste."

Messrs. H. A. Melvin and D. M. Lawrence, who are always prime favorites, sang their solos in their usual happy manner, and the Mendelssohn Quartette, composed of D. M. Lawrence, E. E. Brangs, H. H. Lawrence and H. A. Melvin, was especially enjoyable as the voices blend in such perfect harmony.

Mrs. Wren has seldom sang better, and her rich voice was heard to especial advantage in the "Song of the Dove," by Von Suppe, given with a violin obligato by Mr. Hughes. The able accompanists were Miss Mabel Hussey, Mrs. D. M. Lawrence and William B. King.

CATHOLIC CHAT.

Cadets of St. Patrick's Parish to Have a Meeting.

Company F, Cadets of St. Patrick's parish has become attached to the League of the Cross and the members have determined to secure uniforms and equipments for themselves as soon as possible. For this purpose a Committee on Ways and Means was recently appointed for the purpose of deciding on a plan of action. This Committee consists of Captain Hynes, Lieutenant Higgins, First Sergeant Flynn and Privates Drake, Sheehan, Long and McQuaid. These members at once set about securing the services of Rev. P. C. Yorke for a lecture and were successful in their efforts. Germania Hall, Webster street, between Sixth and Seventh streets, Oakland, has been secured for the occasion and the lecture will take place on Wednesday evening, December 9th. Father Yorke has not yet selected a subject for his remarks, but the address will undoubtedly be an interesting one and well worth attending.

A grand concert will be given at Reeds' Hall, Ebell Building, Oakland, next Friday evening in aid of the uniform fund of the League of the Cross Cadets, connected with the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Oakland. Rev. Father Browne, who has charge of the affair, has engaged some of the very best talent from Oakland and San Francisco to participate. The price of admission has been placed at twenty-five cents.

The regular quarterly rally of the St. Francis de Sales Oakland Branch of the League of the Cross is to be held in the hall connected with St. Francis' Church on Tuesday evening, December 8th. An interesting programme will be presented.

DALTON'S RETURN.

He Will Start in a Few Days for the Pacific Coast.

County Assessor Henry Dalton is still in New York. When last heard from, he wrote to the effect that he would leave that place with his uncle for this city on the 21st inst. If he had left on that date, he would have arrived here before this. It is expected now, if his uncle, who is sick, is able to make the journey, that the trip will be undertaken on Monday next.

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HE LAUGHS AT THE TALES.

The Astronomers, He Said, Have Not Noted Anything Unusual.

WHAT THE WATCHERS SAW.

He Says the Present Theories Are All Pure Fakes.

There is one confirmed skeptic in regard to the airship. He is Professor Burckhalter of the Chabot Observatory. His time has been taken up lately by persons who are anxious to view the aerial machine through the telescope. Many persons have advanced the theory that the airship is a clever advertising dodge of some gas company that is trying to boom a new kind of illuminating gas. Professor Burckhalter laughs at this theory as well as others.

"If there were any airship I would turn the telescope on it, you may be sure," said Prof. Burckhalter today, "What people have been taking for the brilliant electric light of an airship is nothing more or less than one of the two planets, Mars or Venus. People want to believe in the airship, and it is astonishing the way they deceive themselves. Venus is as brilliant as an arc light and does move very slowly through the heavens. Anyone who pays a little attention to the heavens might be deceived into believing it an electric light gleaming through the clouds. Last Saturday night when there was such excitement over the airship, what people were looking at was the planet Mars, which appeared very brilliant that evening.

The theories in regard to the airship are pure imagination. If there were any strange objects in the heavens, we would certainly know of it, and all these theories are, I believe, pure fakes."

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In this day of vaudeville, an attraction that can boast of five exceedingly strong specialties in connection with a melodrama that is known from one end of the country to the other is bound to demand attention from the theater-going public. Such an attraction is Katie Emmett in "The Waifs of New York," which appears at the Macdonough this evening and Tuesday night.

Among the well known specialty artists in the company are Harry Weston, one of the best German dialect comedians in the country; Jenny Engel, one of Tony Pastor's favorite cards; D'Arville Sisters, from the Alhambra, London; Baby Isabelle, the youngest child on the stage, being only four years old, and merry Katie Emmett in her latest budget of songs.

Miss Emmett's impersonation of Willie Rufus, a New York newsboy, is said to be a unique and distinct characterization, and one that places her at the head of her profession in this line of work. Her performance is so natural and winning that even the boys of the gallery come to look upon Miss Emmett as their particular friend and champion. Recently in Detroit the Newsboys' Band connected with the Daily News, serenaded Miss Emmett at the Cadallac Hotel, and then attended the performance in a body, and their enthusiasm was something wonderful to see. The boys of the Waifs' Mission at Chicago are indebted to Miss Emmett for many an enjoyable evening and substantial dinner, and invariably speak of her as "Our Katie," a title that Miss Emmett is justly proud of.

COMING ATTRACTIONS.

Fanny Bloomfield-Zeisler's piano recital at the Macdonough Theater next Thursday evening will be a red letter event in art circles. She is acknowledged to be one of the greatest performers in the world, and has attracted the attention of the whole musical world. The sale of seats opened this morning with a big rush. Prices range from 25 cents to $1.50.

Matt. Grau, the opera manager, is here, making arrangements for the presentation at an early date of his operatic company. It numbers fifty stars and is the finest organization of its kind in America.

THE OAKLAND.

"The White Squadron" is the attraction at the Oakland Theater this evening, and the A. Y. Pearson company is prepared to give a very elaborate production of the thrilling naval drama. John Pierson, who by the way, is not related to the manager of the company, interprets the title role. He is a very clever actor, who has won many honors in the East and on the coast. The other participants in the cast comprise all new faces and include a number of excellent people who played most acceptable parts in "The Land of the Midnight Sun."

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Among the arrivals on the Australia at Honolulu November 17th was Miss Elsa Goess of Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jacobs of 963 Oak street, Oakland, are entertaining Mrs. Virgil Dillon and Miss Golden of St. Louis, Mr., during the holidays.

Rev. E. E. Hamand has returned from a visit to Southern California.

Miss Dora Craig has gone to Los Gatos where she will spend the winter.

Miss Eva Peabody is visiting Miss Edna Moody at Collinsville.

Roger Pries has returned from San Luis Obispo.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pope of San Francisco were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Beach for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Prosser gave a Thanksgiving dinner party to a few friends. Prominent among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. Hassard.

Miss Lucy Cummings, who is spending a few weeks in Sacramento, was tendered a very pleasant party by her friends of that place at the home of Mrs. Weymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Longley, parents of Mrs. Whitaker; Mr. John Longley and Miss Clara Dale of Mountain View, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Longley and daughter, little Miss Mabel, of San Francisco, were the guests of Rev. and Mrs. Robert Whitaker during this week.

Miss Addie Manse of Seventeenth avenue will leave for Ada, Ohio, the first part of next week to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. John Rautze.

Mrs. T. B. Coghill gave a violet luncheon last week in honor of Mrs. Le Grande Tibbetts. Among the guests were Mrs. Folger, Mrs. Ralston, Mrs. L. Kempff, Mrs. Edwin Goodall, Mrs. H. M. A. Miller. Mrs. Tibbetts leaves for the East early in December.

Mrs. Henrietta E. Kellogg and John B. Foster were married Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. and Mrs. John Thompson.

Miss Josephine W. Brown and Francis M. Cerini were married at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Williams, 1803 Market street, Thursday evening. The decorations were very elaborate. The bride was attended by Miss Elsie Thomas and Miss Alice Williams. William Cerini officiated as best man. The bride is the only daughter of James E. Brown of Salem, Oregon. After a short wedding tour, Mr. and Mrs. Cerini will make their home in this city.

Rev. C. H. Hobart was the officiating clergyman at the wedding of Miss Gertrude M. Davis and Joseph A. Peters Wednesday evening. The ceremony was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, 633 Fourteenth street. Miss Harriet Davis was maid of honor and Dr. F. C. Newton of San Francisco was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Peters will make their home in San Francisco.

Miss Beulah Hook was given a very pleasant surprise party Friday evening at the home of her parents, 531 Simpson avenue. Those present were Anna Franck, Maggie Franck, Grace Monroe, Helen Watkins, Willa Sill, Clara Carr, Anna Clark, Hazel Day, Rowena Porterfield, Elsie Noyes, Mary Noyes, Rachel Ward, Hazel Clark and Jennie Gage, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Carr, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Gilbert, Herbert Cramer, Willie Rouse, Fred Ward, Fred Campbell, Lloyd Kent, Folsom Clark, Wilfred McCutcheon, H. Hook, Edgar Sanborn, Willie Kruckle, Chester Noyes, Henry Carr.

The Misses Jennie and Edith White gave a pink luncheon at their home last Tuesday. Among those present were: Misses Alice Tickhardt, Blanche Nicholsen, Kate E. Truett, May Winthrop, Susie Sheldon, Jennie Johnson, Lettie Fredrickson, Annie Moore, Susie Morse, Florence Sands, Belle Townsend and Messrs. John English, Robert Anthony, Sam Klaiser, H. Baxter, Gus Elfandahl, Martin Oliver, E. Kesseler, Nathan Mills and Frank Darling.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chester of 1176 East Twenty-first street entertained a party of friends at dinner Thanksgiving Day. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. August Groff, Mr. and Mrs. William Tate, Dr. and Mrs. John W. Ellis, Mrs. Hornick, Miss Greer, Miss Kate Hall, Miss Schmidt, Miss Haywood, Miss Ada Haywood, Mrs. M. F. Ruggles, Ed Chester, Mr. and Mrs. A. Mitchell and Mr. Warful.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Edwards celebrated their golden wedding anniversary yesterday at their home, 1056 Thirtieth street. The reception was informal, and was attended by many friends of the old couple. Edwards is 75 years of age, and his wife is but two years his junior. They were both born at Dolgay, a village seven miles from Aberystwith, and lived there through their childhood days. Mrs. Edwards was Miss Mary Jones, and it was at Aberdare, Glamorganshire, that the marriage took place on November 29, 1846. The couple spent six years in Wales, and in 1853 came to the United States. They settled first in Iowa, and for ten years made it their home. In 1863 they moved to Austin, Nev., and Edwards became interested in mining. They made the Sagebrush State their home until eight years ago, when they came to Oakland to reside. Edwards engaged in business for a couple of years, but four years ago purchased the Thirtieth street cottage, where he expects to end his days. Twelve children, seven girls and five boys, blessed the union, and all except one of the girls survive. The sons are all residents of Nevada, and most of them are engaged in mining.

Hon. J. R. McCoy, President of the Pitcairn Island, arrived in Oakland on the brig Pitcairn. He is the ruler of the small island with its 130 subjects, who are all Adventists. President McCoy is Chief Executive and Judge, and has a Parliament of seven men. He has been the ruler for a number of years, and is highly esteemed by his subjects. The Adventists of this city have given President McCoy a reception since his arrival in this city.

The Week's Failures.

The Bradstreet Mercantile Agency reports seventeen failures for the Pacific Coast States and Territories for the week ending Saturday, as compared with thirteen for the previous week and thirty-two for the corresponding week of 1895. The failures are divided among the trades as follows: Two commission, one butcher, two fruit growers, one general store, one grocer, one lumber, one notions, one oils, one jewelery, three saloons, two hotels, one drugs.

Recreant.

He ran down the gang plank and kissed her.

"Henry," she exclaimed, "where is the poodle?"

"Dearest," he said, "it fell overboard."

She wrung her hands.

"Why did the steamer not stop to rescue it?"

"They only stop to save human life," he explained.

"Then, Henry, why didn't you jump overboard?"—Life.

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Christian Endeavor Work.

The Alameda County Christian Endeavor Union will meet next Monday evening at 8 P. M., in the Y. M. C. A. Building. This meeting was postponed for two weeks, on account of the reception to Secretary Baer, which occurred on the night of the regular meeting.

The Oakland City Christian Endeavor Union held its meeting last Monday evening, and in spite of the rain a great deal was done. The reports of the committee were received, and the committee on a Waifs' Home was instructed to solicit subscriptions to carry on the work and to find suitable quarters and report at the next meeting for organization.

The Associated Charities asked that the Oakland Endeavorers assist in the distribution of Thanksgiving cheer to the worthy poor, and a committee was appointed, consisting of Miss Clift, Mr. Gilbert and Mr. Wall, to collect the necessary articles and to assist in the good work.

Reports of the Thanksgiving distribution show that about 100 families were provided with groceries to last a week.

The topic for Sunday was, "How to Strengthen Our Faith in Christianity."

In the talk on the topic for the "Golden Rule" Arthur W. Kelly tells us that "Christianity rests at least on historical facts. It's own history, too," he asserts, "is one of the proofs of its truth. By their fruits systems, as well as men, are known. The history of heathenism is its own judgment. There are blots on the chronicles of the church, but they are not the outgrowth of the church's principles. Islam is known by the sword, the Christian by his love to his fellows.

"Christian faith can no more be rightly studied from without than a pictured window can be judged from outside. It is the heart and not the head that finds the truth. If we would strengthen our faith, we must do it through experience. If we act on the faith we have, we shall gain more. If we would know, we must do. Personal acceptance of Christ is the way to know him; doing his work with him is the surest way of strengthening faith in him."

At the Australian Convention, recently held in Sydney, the Rev. Silas Mead was appointed delegate from the Australia Christian Endeavor Union to the '97 San Francisco Convention.

Delegates from other places are also making arrangements with their transportation managers to come here at that time.

During the past year, English Endeavorers have added to the national register about 1,000 new societies, the last number on the list being 3,593. These societies contain 159,881 Endeavorers. For the larger denominations, the numbers of societies are the following: Baptist, 947; Congregational, 953; Presbyterian, 311; Episcopal, 19; Wesleyan, 82; Primitive Methodist, 205; United Methodist Free Church, 227; Methodist New Connection, 175; Bible Christian, 61; Friends, 10; Moravians, 16.

A cheering fact is that, though only 1,546 societies reported on the matter, from these societies 9,052 Endeavorers have joined the church during the past year.

In speaking of the Missionary Roll of Honor, Secretary Baer said, "Upon it are the names of over 5,869 Young People's Societies and 2,331 Junior Societies, from thirty-five States, seven Territories, seven provinces, four foreign lands. These societies have given $154,022.68 through their own denominational boards to the cause of foreign and home missions. In addition to this amount, which has been given by these 8,200 societies that we have enrolled upon the roll of honor, we find that $206,150.21 has been given by these same societies for Christ and the church in other ways, making a total of $360,172.89, the largest amounts given by any one society being $1,137.01, by the Clarendon Street Baptist Society of Boston, and a little over $1,000 by the Calvary Presbyterian Society of Buffalo, N. Y.

"Let me make it plain that the $154,022.68 given directly to the Mission Boards by the eight thousand societies, and their gifts of $206,150.21 for other benevolences, represent only the record of the societies that have asked to be enrolled upon the 'missionary roll of honor'."

Christmas is near, and you Endeavorers are wondering what you can give to your friends for Christmas presents. A very inexpensive present would be the "Golden Rule." From now until July 8, 1897, the date of the convention, it is only 50 cents. This would not only be a good gift, but would serve also to prepare one's friend for the convention.

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9:37 a	Vallejo	6:45 p
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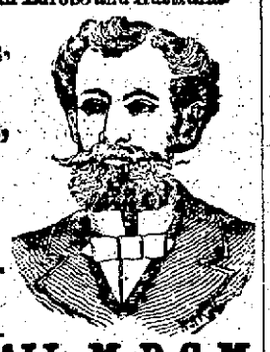
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At the oustart it was aimed to corner the redwood market and by the cooperation of all the mills with the lumber firms, this could have been done. A uniform price, 30 per cent above the then prevailing schedule was to be enforced and a greater profit thus obtained.

The scheme was carried through and seven out of eleven of the Oakland companies joined. The outsiders were the Humboldt Company, Taylor & Co., Oakland and Washington Companies.

These, under the leadership of Hogan Bros., of the Humboldt, determined to fight the thing to a finish and undersell their brethren in trade. In retaliation the combined firms refused to allow the Oakland belligerents to buy any more of the red-wood which they controlled, though the acute competition in Oregon and other places forbade holding out on pine.

The Humboldt company placed a very large order for red-wood as soon as the talk began and settled down with enough to last out the year at least. Where the trust price was 30 per cent higher the others cut 10 per cent below the old schedule, and as a consequence obtained much of the trade.

This was all right as long as it lasted, but the heavy drain soon reduced the available redwood supply and then a desperate stand was necessary.

Taylor & Co. and the Hogans hunted for a weak firm in the trust, and by offering good inducements were sold a ship load of lumber. This is where the trust started to totter, and through the efforts of the Oaklanders has at last been completely destroyed. Now all are on an equal footing and no one thinks of maintaining combine prices.

Instead of working an injury to the boycotted firms, the combination has been helping along their business materially, and some are sorry that it does not still continue. During the time lumber was sent from here to San Francisco, San Jose, Sacramento and surrounding cities, for the price was less than asked in those places by other firms.

This is the inside of the failure of the lumber trust, which has now been in existence almost a year, and it was due to Oaklanders, representing a few hundred thousand dollars of capital, that the big State organization with millions behind it, was forced to suspend.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1896.

Alvah Gates to Adelaide Bingham, N 33d or Nolan 157-0¼ E Grove st E 37-6 S N 100-55 being the W 25 ft lot 22 and E 12-6 of 23 Collins tract; $1,500.

H. N. and Eliza J. McChesney to Ella N. Harman, lots 15 and 16 map of sub Lake Merritt Park subj to a mtge for $5,000; $10.

Florence A. Lawton to John G. Klumpke, S Charter or E 25th st 277-6 E 19th av E 50 x S 140 being lots 12 and 13 blk 81, map of northern addn to Bklyn, re-record of 593 d 111; $20.

George and Anna E. Lydiksen to

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The physiology of women, in health and disease, is contained in Dr. Pierce's great work, the "Common Sense Medical Adviser." A copy of this book, paper-covered, free to anyone who will send 21 one-cent stamps to cover cost of mailing *only*, to World's Dispensary Medical Association, No. 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

Henry Valentine, lots 38 and 39 map of Piedmont Villa tract; $10.

Frank H., F. M., Anna M. and Emma L. Buck to Anna M. Buck, NW cor 8th and Adeline sts N 265-8¼ W 156.5 N 58 E 156.6 S 58 to beg; $10.

Beulah Park Camp Meeting Assn (a corporation) to Aurlie Reagan, wife of John, lot 213 blk N; lots 72 to 76, 61 to 65 blk E, map of Beulah Park ppty; $10.

Minerva J. Sweeney to Andrew H. Kitchen, lot 7 blk X Paradise Park; $10.

Maria A. De la L. Bon to Mary E. Chauche, N W Telegraph av and 37th st N 150 W 813-9 S 150 E 820 to beg, ptn I. B. Bon tract; $10.

Richard Faasch to Frank and Alvina Glaser, lots 5 and 6 blk 26 map of I. M. Wentworth Boot & Shoe Co.'s tract, subject to a mtge for $400; $10.

A. F. Gomes to Bonifacius Haas, lot 12 map of Bellina tract, Haywards; $10.

Jas. F. and Maria Ford to Clara B. Stanwood, all of blk 23 N addn to town of Livermore; $10.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1896.

J. L. Lyon to W. H. Latourette, S 6th st 100 E Harrison E 37-6 x S 100 being lot 10 and W ½ lot 11 blk 58; $10.

Oscar L. and Frances E. Knowles to Katie B. Doran, W Myrtle st 128 S 28th st S 25 x W 123-6 being lot 16 blk 654, Keene tract, subj to a mtge for $700; $10.

Martha V. Linde to Wm. D. and Addie G. Macdonald, N W-5th st 103-3 W Adeline W 25 x N 101 being lot 5 blk 488, Briggs tract map 2; $10.

Mary E. Selzer to Thos. P. Maloney, E 23d av 100 NE from NE E-17th NE 50 x SE 135 being ptn lot 2 blk J, sub 50 Associates tract; $5.

Oscar F. Sites to F. A. and Mary A. Pollard, NE Park av and Watts st 590 W from W San Pablo av E 60 N 125 W 60 S 125 to beg being ptn plot 6 Ro V and D Peralta; $10.

N. B. Byrne to Simon Fischel and Jacob Baum, E Walnut st 346 N Rose st N 50 x E 135 being lot 8 blk 22, being ptn Bkly Villa tract; $100.

L. C. and Miriam Morehouse to Helen M. Wettstein, lot 213 map of the Rose tract; $5.

Bonifacius Haas to Anton E., Enos and Mary E Costa, lots 10 and 12 map of Bellina tract; $1,050.

Peter P. Castro to Jennie C. Connor, NW Ward av and lands of R. S. Farrelly, th NW 147 x SW 73 ft being ptn Ro San Leandro town of San Leandro; $10.

John Fields to Antonio Fields, und 1-7 int 3 acres beg at a stake distant 7 chs NW from NW line road San Leandro to Andrews Landing as traveled in 1867 th NW 7 chs x SW 4.34 chs city of San Leandro; $10.

Pacific Improvement Co. to Susanna Prunty, lot 18 blk 66 town of Niles; $175.

Alexander and Mary A. Robinson to Thos. Bedard, all int 100.98 acres beg at Station No. 26 of survey No. 33 of lands of ex-Mission San Jose at corner common to tract hereby described and sub B of lands of estate of Joshua Wauhab, deceased, th SE 5.45 chs SE 6 chs SE 29.11 chs SW 13.69 chs NW 9.50 NW 4.50 chs NW 8.50 chs NW 15.97 NW 3.70 chs NW 4.60 chs NW 3.26 chs NW 1.50 chs NW 3.52 chs, th along lands of H. Pierce NE 5.05 chs SE 8.40 chs SE 1.80 chs SE 2.70 chs SE 5.50 chs NE 2.30 chs NE 4 chs to stake marked "26" at the point of beg being sub A of lands of estate Joshua Wauhab, deceased; $1,500.

Leslie D. and Maggie D. Coombs to Jennie Jacobs, wife Aaron, E Harrison 1442 N Central av N 52 x E 150 being ptn lot 13 Alice Park ppty subj to a mtge; $10.

John W. and Fannie M. Butler to Kathe G. and Margaret L. Perine, W Oak st 70 N 5th st N 30 x W 75 blk 128; $10.

Edward and Mary A. Hackett, Mack and Nettie Webber to H. P. Merritt, all int W Madison 100 N 13th st N 100 x W 150 being lots 12 to 18 blk 196; blk 28 bounded by E 11th st E-12th st 2d and 3d avs; S W-5th st 67 E Adeline S 97-3 E 187 N 97 W 187 to beg; $10.

Thos. W. and as atty. and Jane A. Badger, by atty., to Ersiglia De Bonis, SE Park Way 120 NE E-9th st NE 30 x SE 60, being lot 26 blk 11, Clinton; $10.

Mary J. Moss, Jessie E. and Perry H. Auseon, Lulu S. and Wm. L. Taylor to Camelia Young, lot 13 blk I map of the Moss tract; $10.

H. C. Morris to Mrs. A. B. Huntington, E Walnut st 220 N Mountain View av E 150 N 44-8 W 150 S 45-4 to beg, being lot 1 blk 9, Warner tract; $10.

Jas. Kerwan to H. B. Pinney, lot 38 and ½ lot 37 blk C Melrose station tract; $10.

CITY TAXES, 1896.

Notice is Hereby Given that the Assessment Roll for City Taxes for the Year 1896, on all Property in the City of Oakland Has Been Received by Me.

That the taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property, is now due and payable at my office, room 5, City Hall, Oakland, every day (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) during office hours, and will be delinquent on the last Monday in November, 1896, at 6 o'clock P. M., and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof; and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April next, at 6 o'clock P. M., an additional five per cent will be added thereto.

That the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the first Monday in January next, and will be delinquent on the last Monday in April next, thereafter, at 6 o'clock P. M., and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

That all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

Z. T. GILPIN,

Tax Collector of the City of Oakland.

Oakland, California, November 13th, 1896.

LEGAL

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

THE UNION SAVINGS BANK (a Corporation), Plaintiff, vs. A. C. FREESE, Public Administrator, etc., et al., Defendants. No. 12,729.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, of the State of California, on the 5th day of November, A. D. 1896, in the above entitled action, wherein the Union Savings Bank (a corporation), the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against A. C. Freese, Public Administrator of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and administrator of the estate of James H. Munson, deceased, defendants, on the 19th day of October, A. D. 1896, for the sum of seven hundred and sixty-two and 59-100 dollars, in United States gold coin, including interest and costs of suit, which said judgment and decree was, on the 5th day of November, A. D. 1896, recorded in Judgment Book 27 of said Court, at page 111, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, in the Township of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the western line of Humboldt avenue, distant thereon forty-six (46) feet and seven (7) inches northerly from the northern line of Oregon street; thence at a right angle westerly one hundred and thirteen (113) feet and four (4) inches; thence at a right angle northerly forty-four (44) feet and ten (10) inches; thence at a right angle easterly one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet and ten (10) inches to the said westerly line of Humboldt avenue, and thence southerly along said line of Humboldt avenue forty-six (46) feet and six (6) inches to the point of beginning; being lot number 2 in block "G" as the same are delineated and so designated upon a certain map entitled "Map of the Leonard Tract, Berkeley," filed September 17, 1875, in Liber 5 of Maps, page 11, in the office of the County Recorder of said Alameda County, together with the tenements and appurtenances and hereditaments thereon.

Public notice is hereby given that on

TUESDAY, THE 1ST DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 1896,

At ten o'clock A. M. of that day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Oakland, Nov. 5, 1896.

W. S. HARLOW,

A Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.

A. A. MOORE, Attorney for Plaintiff.

PROPOSALS for repairing Engine House Number Four.

Department of Public Works, City Hall, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 28, 1896.

In pursuance with the order of the Board of Public Works, sealed proposals will be received in open session of the Board of Public Works, at their office in the City Hall, on Wednesday, the 9th day of December, 1896, from 10 to 11 o'clock A. M., for repairing Engine House Number Four of the Fire Department of the City of Oakland, situated on the south side of East Fourteenth street, between 12th and 13th avenues, in the City of Oakland, all work done and materials furnished to be in strict accordance with the plans and specifications for said repairs now on file in the office of the Department of Public Works, to which reference is hereby made for full particulars and description of said repairs and materials to be used or employed in the construction of the said repairs and to be under the supervision of F. D. Voorhees, the authorized architect for said repairs.

The said work to be commenced within five days and be completed within thirty days after entering into contract for said repairs.

All work done and materials furnished to be subject to the approval and to the satisfaction of the Board of Public Works.

All bids must be made upon the blank forms of the Board, which will be furnished upon application, by the Secretary.

All bids must be accompanied by a check certified by some responsible bank, made payable to the order of J. W. Tompkins, Clerk of the Council, for not less than ten per cent of the proposal, which check shall be forfeited to the City of Oakland should the bidder receiving the award fail within 5 days to enter into a contract and furnish a good and sufficient bond in the sum of $375.00 for the faithful performance of the same.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Board of Public Works.

N. W. SPAULDING JR., Secretary.

Notice to Creditors.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Daniel Brannan, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, William A. Fine, administrator of the estate of Daniel Brannan, deceased, to all the creditors and persons having claims against said estate, that they are required to present and exhibit their claims with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator, at his residence, number 934 Myrtle street, Oakland, the same being his place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the said County and State.

WILLIAM A. FINE,

Administrator of the estate of Daniel Brannan, deceased.

HARRIS & HESS, Att'ys for Administrator, Mills B'ld'g, 8th Floor, Room 4, San Francisco, California.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Thomas Smith (alias Thomas F. Smith), deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executor of the estate of Thomas Smith, otherwise known as Thomas F. Smith, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said executor at the office of M. Cooney, Esq., rooms 102 and 103, Phelan Building, San Francisco, Cal, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

MICHAEL SMITH,

Executor of the estate of said Thomas Smith, deceased.

Dated Oakland, Nov. 23d, 1896.

M. COONEY, Esq., Phelan Building, San Francisco, Attorney for Executor.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Ellen M. McLaughlin, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executors of the will of Ellen M. McLaughlin, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executors, at the law office of B. McFadden, Esq., No. 906 Broadway St., Oakland, Cal., which said office the undersigned select as their place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said Ellen M. McLaughlin, deceased.

ANTONIO FONTE,
MICHAEL CALLAHAN,

Executors of the will of Ellen M. McLaughlin, deceased.

Dated Oakland, November 28, 1896.

B. McFADDEN, 906 Broadway St., Oakland, Cal., Attorney for Executors.

LEGAL

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance establishing the official curb grades on certain streets in the City of Oakland, to-wit: On College avenue between Webster street and Broadway; on Academy place between College avenue and Edwards street.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland, as follows:

SECTION I.

The official curb grades on College avenue between the western line of Webster street and the western line of Broadway are hereby established and declared to be at the following elevations above city base, to-wit:

77.3 feet northern curb at the western line of Webster street.

76.8 feet both curbs at a point 130 feet westerly from the western line of Academy place produced.

74.8 feet both curbs at a point 80 feet westerly from the western line of Academy place produced.

73.4 feet both curbs at a point 60 feet westerly from the western line of Academy place produced.

67.25 feet both curbs at the western line of Academy place produced.

66 feet both curbs at the eastern line of Academy place produced.

60.2 feet both curbs at a point 70 feet easterly from the eastern line of Academy place produced.

57.2 feet both curbs at a point 170 feet easterly from the eastern line of Academy place produced.

52.5 feet northern curb and 52.1 feet southern curb at the western line of Broadway.

SECTION II.

The official curb grades on Academy place between the northern line of College avenue and the southern line of Edwards street are herby established and declared to be at the following elevations above city base, to-wit:

67 feet western curb and 66 feet eastern curb at the northern line of College avenue.

79 feet western curb and 78 feet eastern curb at the southern line of Plymouth avenue.

79.5 feet western curb and 78.5 feet eastern curb at the northern line of Plymouth avenue.

80.31 feet western curb and 79.54 feet eastern curb at the southern line of Edwards street.

SECTION III.

The distances herein given are measured on the center lines of streets.

Grades to be on straight lines between the points and elevations hereinabove given.

SECTION IV.

This Ordinance to take effect upon its passage and approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 23rd, 1896.

Passed to print by the following vote: Ayes—Messrs. Bassett, Brosnahan, Buckland, Dow, Heitmann, Kaufman, Manuel, Marshall, Towle, Watkinson and President Mott—11.

Noes—None.

Absent—None.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, Nov. 25th, 1896.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to purchase five horses for the Fire Department, at a cost not to exceed seven hundred and fifty ($750) dollars.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland, as follows:

SECTION I.

The Board of Public Works is hereby authorized to purchase five (5) horses for the Fire Department of the City of Oakland at a cost not to exceed seven hundred and fifty ($750) dollars.

SECTION II.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 23rd, 1896.

Passed to print by the following vote: Ayes—Messrs. Bassett, Brosnahan, Buckland, Dow, Heitmann, Kaufman, Manuel, Marshall, Towle, Watkinson and President Mott—11.

Noes—None.

Absent—None.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, Nov. 25th, 1896.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance amending Section I of Ordinance No. 1421, entitled "An Ordinance regulating the use of bicycles, tricycles and velocipedes within the limits of the City of Oakland," approved May 9, 1892.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland, as follows:

SECTION I.

Section I of Ordinance No. 1421, entitled "An Ordinance regulating the use of bicycles, tricycles and velocipedes within the limits of the City of Oakland," approved May 9, 1892, is hereby amended to read as follows: Every person riding a bicycle, tricycle or velocipede upon any sidewalk of any public street, lane or alley, or within any public square within the limits of the City of Oakland shall immediately dismount from said bicycle, tricycle or velocipede upon meeting or overtaking any person who may then and there be walking or standing upon said sidewalk or within said public square.

SECTION II.

This Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force upon its passage and approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 23rd, 1896.

Passed to print by the following vote: Ayes—Messrs. Bassett, Brosnahan, Buckland, Dow, Heitmann, Kaufman, Manuel, Marshall, Towle, Watkinson and President Mott—11.

Noes—None.

Absent—None.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, Nov. 25th, 1896.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners to appoint a steward of Engine Company No. 1 at a salary not to exceed $75.00 per month.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland, as follows:

SECTION I.

The Board of Police and Fire Commissioners are hereby authorized and empowered to appoint a steward of Engine Company No. 1, who shall act as foreman of said company.

SECTION II.

The salary of said steward shall be $75.00 per month.

SECTION III.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 23rd, 1896.

Passed to print by the following vote: Ayes—Messrs. Buckland, Dow, Manuel, Marshall, Towle and President Mott—6.

Noes—Messrs. Bassett, Brosnahan, Heitmann, Kaufman and Watkinson—5.

Absent—None.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, Nov. 25th, 1896.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance establishing the official curb grades on certain streets in the City of Oakland, to-wit: On East 28th street from 13th avenue to Vallecito place; on Vallecito place from East 28th street to 14th avenue.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland, as follows:

SECTION I.

The official curb grades on East 28th street from 13th avenue to Vallecito place are hereby established and declared to be at the following elevations above city base, to-wit:

148.4 feet northeastern curb and 146.1 feet southwestern curb at the southeastern line of 13th avenue.

151 feet both curbs at a point 200 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 13th avenue.

154 feet both curbs at a point 350 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 13th avenue.

153.4 feet both curbs at a point 400 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 13th avenue.

150 feet both curbs at a point 450 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 13th avenue.

146 feet both curbs at a point 500 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 13th avenue.

110 feet southwestern curb at a point 727 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 13th avenue.

110 feet northeastern curb and 106.5 feet southwestern curb at the western line of Vallecito place produced.

SECTION II.

The official curb grades on Vallecito place from a point at right angles opposite the intersection of the west line of Vallecito place with the northeastern line of East 28th street to the northwestern line of 14th avenue are hereby established and declared to be at the following elevations above city base, to-wit:

110 feet both curbs at points at right angles opposite to the intersection of the west line of Vallecito place with the northwestern line of East 28th street.

108 feet both curbs at points at right angles opposite to the intersection of the west line of Vallecito place with the southwestern line of East 28th street.

96 feet both curbs opposite the intersection of the west line of Vallecito place with the northeastern line of East 27th street.

SECTION III.

The grades to be on straight lines between the points and elevations hereinabove given.

SECTION IV.

This Ordinance to take effect upon its passage and approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 23rd, 1896.

Passed to print by the following vote: Ayes—Messrs. Bassett, Brosnahan, Buckland, Dow, Heitmann, Kaufman, Manuel, Marshall, Towle, Watkinson and President Mott—11.

Noes—None.

Absent—None.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, Nov. 25th, 1896.

LEGAL

EXECUTOR'S SALE.

Pursuant to the order of the Superior Court of Alameda County, California, Department Four, of date June 25, 1894, in the matter of the estate of Jason A. Rose, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned, executor of said estate, will sell on or after the 4th day of Dec., 1896, at private sale to the highest bidder, for cash, the following property of decedent's estate, to-wit:

All those certain pieces of real property situate in the Township of Murray, County of Alameda, State of California, bounded and described as follows:

1st. Commencing at a point where the center line of county road No. 1533 intersects course No. 10 of the survey of the Rancho Santa Rita and being the line dividing the Ranchos Santa Rita and the Rancho El Valle de San Jose; thence along the center line of said county road N. 15 deg. 7 min. W. 69 chains 19 links to the southeast corner of lands of August Harms; thence S. 63 deg. 40 min. W. 40 chains 26 links to the most northerly corner of plot No. 1 of the subdivision of the Bernal portion of the Rancho El Valle de San Jose and being also the western end of course No. 10 of the Santa Rita Rancho; thence south 46 deg. 32 min. E. 78 chains 80 links along the line dividing aforesaid ranchos to the place of beginning. Containing 138 80-100 acres and being a portion of the Rancho Santa Rita and also being the same property conveyed by Samuel B. Martin to Lewis Atkinson by deed dated May 1, 1879, and recorded in Liber 184 of Deeds at page 188, Alameda County Records.

2nd. Being a portion of plot No. 4 of the Rancho El Valle de San Jose, and beginning on the south line of said plot No. 4 at a point distant thereon 12.77 chains easterly from the southwesterly corner of said plot, running thence along said south line S. 89 deg. 22 min. E. 79.05 chains, thence N. 0 deg. 16 min. E. 20.20 chains to the southeast corner of land of A. J. Silver, thence N. 89 deg. 30 min. W. 15.13 chains; thence N. 72 deg. 40 min. W. along the center of an avenue 74.15 chains to the west line of said plot No. 4, thence along said west line S. 18 deg. W. 18.32 chains and S. 22 min. E. 11.10 chains, thence leaving said west line S. 44 deg. E. 15.45 chains to the place of beginning, containing about 258.90 acres.

3d. Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Main street in the Town of Pleasanton distant thereon 100 feet six inches north from the north line of Neal street; thence northerly along said line of Main street 150 feet 3 inches; thence easterly parallel with Division street 248 feet 5 inches; thence at a right angle southerly 150 feet; thence at a right angle westerly 260.78 feet to the place of beginning, being lots 2, 3 and 4, the south 100 feet of lots 7 and 8 and the north 50 feet of lots 9 and 10 in block A, as shown on a map entitled "Map of the Town of Pleasanton, Alameda Co., Cal., Surveyed for Joshua A. Neal Dec. 1, 1869. Revised from Survey of 1868," filed in the Recorder's office of Alameda County Feb. 24th, 1870, and recorded in Liber 5 of Maps, page 35.

Said property described 3d is known as the Rose Hotel property, and will be sold in one parcel, and with it will be sold the furniture contained in the hotel situate thereon.

4th. The southerly 100 feet of lots 9 and 10 in block A in said Town of Pleasanton, as shown on said map.

Parcels other than the hotel property will be sold as a whole or in subdivisions to suit purchasers.

Bids or offers in writing for said property or any parcel thereof will be received by me at my residence in San Leandro, Cal., or may be left at the law office of my attorney, Steph. G. Nye, 861 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., or may be filed with the Clerk of said Superior Court at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the sale is made.

L. C. MOREHOUSE,

Executor of the last will and testament of Jason A. Rose, deceased.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Robert Gabriel Kelly, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc: Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Robert Gabriel Kelly, deceased, and for the issuance to Sarah M. Kelly of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this court, and that Monday, the 7th day of December, A. D., 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the court room of Department No. 4 of said court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for hearing of said petition and proving said will when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated November 20th, A. D., 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

By J. CAL EWING, Deputy Clerk.

BLAKE & HARRISON, Mills Building, San Francisco, Attorneys for Petitioner.

Notice of a General Meeting of the Stockholders of the Eagle Iron Works (Limited.)

A general meeting of all of the stockholders of the above named corporation will be held at the general office of the said corporation at the corner of Clay and Third streets in the City of Oakland, State of California, at 6 o'clock P. M. on the seventh day of December, A. D., 1896, for the purpose of removing from office all of the directors of said corporation who are now holding office as such, towit: John P. Lightbody, William D. Logan, James W. Wood, G. P. Sorey, William Nelle, Percy R. Stuart, Daniel Stuart, and for the transaction of such other business as may regularly come before the meeting. New members of the Board of Directors will be elected at this meeting.

H. W. NELLE,

Secretary of the Eagle Iron Works (limited.)

By order of John P. Lightbody, President of the Eagle Iron Works (limited.)

Dated Oakland, Calif., Nov. 21st, 1896.

ORDINANCE NO. —An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to receive bids and purchase a steam road roller, and appropriating the sum of $4,000 for said purpose.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland as follows:

SECTION I.

The Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to receive bids, and award contract for a steam road roller. Said roller to be of improved modern construction having spiked attachments, and weighing not less than 15 tons.

SECTION II.

The cost of said roller not to exceed the sum of $4,000, and the said sum of $4,000 is hereby appropriated for the purchase of said roller, from the general fund of 1896-97.

SECTION III.

This ordinance shall be in force on and after its approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 16th, 1896.

Passed to print by the following vote: Ayes—Messrs. Bassett, Brosnahan, Buckland, Dow, Heitmann, Kaufman, Marshall, Towle and President Mott.—9.

Noes—None.

Absent—Messrs. Manuel and Watkinson—2.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, Nov. 18th, 1896.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Nicholas Doran, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executors of the will and estate of Nicholas Doran, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executors, at the office of George E. DeGolia, 857 Broadway street, Oakland, Alameda County, California, which said office the undersigned select as their place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Nicholas Doran, deceased.

JAMES McALLISTER
And JAMES LONG,

Executors of the estate of Nicholas Doran, deceased.

Dated Oakland, November 20, 1896.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA, Attorney for Executors.

LEGAL

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for the Year 1896.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1896.

To all taxpayers in the County of Alameda, State of California:

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said County of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment book for State and County taxes for the year 1896, on all property within the County of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, every day (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the first Monday in October, 1896, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said County of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

FIRST MONDAY IN OCTOBER, IN THE YEAR 1896

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda County, situated in the City of Oakland, in said County, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER, 1896

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1897, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda County for the year 1896 will be payable to the undersigned, Tax Collector of said Alameda County, as aforesaid, at the office of the Tax Collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1897, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN APRIL, 1897.

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the first Monday in October, 1896, all the taxes, whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or, if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

FIRST MONDAY IN OCTOBER, 1896,

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes, both first and second installments, will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 10th day of October, 1896.

JAMES B. BARBER,

Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

PROPOSALS for furnishing three horses to the Police Department of the City of Oakland.

Department of Public Works, City Hall, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 21st, 1896.

In pursuance with the order of the Board of Public Works, sealed proposals will be received in open session of the Board of Public Works at their office in the City Hall, on Wednesday, the 9th day of December, 1896, from 10 to 11 o'clock A. M., for furnishing three horses to the Police Department of the City of Oakland, the said horses to consist of two buggy horses and one saddle horse. The said horses to be delivered to the Chief of Police within ten days after the award of contract for same. The said horses to weigh not less than (1100) eleven hundred pounds, to be not more than seven (7) years of age, and to have good life and action and must be warranted perfectly sound and gentle.

The horses furnished to be subject to the approval of the Chief of Police and to the satisfaction of the Board of Public Works.

All bids must be made upon the blank forms of the Board, which will be furnished upon application, by the Secretary.

All bids must be accompanied by a check certified by some responsible bank made payable to the order of J. W. Tompkins, Clerk the Council, for not less than ten per cent of the proposal, which check shall be forfeited to the City of Oakland should the bidder receiving the award fail within five days to enter into a contract and furnish a good and sufficient bond in the sum of $75.00 for the faithful performance of the same.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Board of Public Works.

N. W. SPAULDING, Jr., Secretary.

NOTICE OF FILING—Of 3rd Report of Commissioners in the matter of the opening and widening of Commerce street.

City Clerk's Office, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 21st, 1896.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners heretofore appointed to assess benefits and damages and to have general supervision of the proposed work and improvement of opening and widening Commerce street, between the northern line of East Twelfth street and the southern line of East Twenty-second street, in the City of Oakland, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1496, have this day filed in this office and with the Clerk of the City Council of said city their written report, showing their assessment of benefits and the damages, together with the plat of the assessment district, showing the land taken and to be taken for the work or improvement aforesaid, and the lands assessed, also showing the relative location of each district, block, lot or portion of lot and its dimensions.

Said report and plat are now and will be open to inspection in this office, and all persons interested therein and in said opening are hereby required to show cause, if any, why said report should not be confirmed by the City Council, by the filing of written objections thereto with the said Clerk of the City Council, on or before the 28th day of December, 1896.

(Seal.) J. W. TOMPKINS,

Clerk of the Council of the City of Oakland.

Oakland, Nov. 20th, 1896.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to receive bids and contract for the repair and reconstruction of the Eighth street bridge in the City of Oakland, and appropriating $9,100 for said work.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland, as follows:

SECTION I.

The Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to receive bids and contract for the repair and reconstruction of the Eighth street bridge in the City of Oakland at a cost not to exceed the sum of $9,100, and the sum of $9,100 is hereby appropriated for said purpose. The repairs and reconstruction to be in accordance with the plans filed by the City Engineer on the 23d of November, 1896.

SECTION II.

This Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force immediately.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 23rd, 1896.

Passed to print by the following vote: Ayes—Messrs. Bassett, Brosnahan, Buckland, Dow, Heitmann, Manuel, Marshall, Towle, Watkinson and President Mott—10.

Noes—Mr. Kaufman—1.

Absent—None.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, Nov. 27th, 1896.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to purchase 2,500 feet of hose for the Fire Department of the City of Oakland.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland, as follows:

SECTION I.

The Board of [illegible] is hereby authorized to [illegible] for the Fire [illegible] of the City of Oakland.

SECTION II.

This Ordinance [illegible] immediately.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 23rd, 1896.

Passed to print by [illegible]: Ayes—Messrs. [illegible] land, Dow, [illegible] Towle, Watkinson [illegible]

Noes—None.

Absent—Mr. Heitmann—1.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, Nov. [illegible], 1896.

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A JEWISH FESTIVAL.

Special Services Are Conducted at Beth Jacob Synagogue.

The Beth Jacob Synagogue held the initiatory services of the festival of Chanuka, or dedication of the lights, last evening. The festival will last eight days. The programme that was carried out last evening was: Opening song, pupils of the school; evening service, or Maarive, Rabbi Linczner and pupils; dedication of lights, Rabbi Linczner and pupils; English translation of dedicatory blessings, Miss Sarah White; Hebrew reading of Chanuka, Gus Ringolsky; English translation of Chanuka, Miss Sarah White; prayer, "Dedication of the Temple," J. Kieve; Hebrew address on the dedication, Gus Ringolsky; English translation of the address of Gus Ringolsky, Martha Silverstein; song in English, the pupils; history of the festival, I. Buchman; trio song, Gus Ringolsky, I. Buchman and Moses Friedman; remarks on the progress of the school, H. J. Landers; sermon, Rabbi Linczner; song, "Evening," the pupils; essay, "Religion," Moses Friedman; paper explanatory of the day, Jennie Buchman; song, trio, Sarah White, Augusta White and Martha Silverstein; lighting of the lamp, Isa Buchman, Ben Buchman, Ben Silverstein, Gus Ringolsky, Max Taylor, Martha Silverstein, Sarah White; benediction.

BOXERS WILL BATTLE.

Tracy and Ryan Meet in the Fistic Ring This Evening.

The inaugural boxing tournament of the Golden West Club will take place this evening in Union Hall, San Francisco. The first event will take place promptly at 8:30 o'clock, and there will be plenty of fun for the sports.

The principal feature will be the Tracey-Ryan ten-round contest. Both men are in fine condition, so a spirited contest is expected. Tracey has been training at the Reliance Club, where he has had the best of treatment. The betting odds are in his favor 2 to 1.

Jack Stengler, Fitzsimmon's sparring partner, and Tom Johnson, the heavyweights, will give a six-round exhibition, to be followed by Charles Rochette and Harry Butler in an eight-round match for a decision.

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SOME LESSONS FOR OAKLAND.

Forty-Seven Confirmations in Rev. Dr. Law's Parish.

THE EFFECT OF MISSIONS.

Plain Truths Are Set Forth by Rev. Dr. Chapman.

Continuing his series of stereopticon illustrated lectures, Dr. Wendte last night at the Unitarian Church chose for his subject "Paris." He talked not only of the buildings, parks and boulevards of the city, but discussed at some length the social, moral and religious conditions of the people. In connection with the improvements he spoke of Oakland and gave his views of the needs of this city in the lines of parks and boulevards.

The lecture was interspersed with personal reminiscences, and proved both entertaining and edifying.

BEAR THE CROSS.

The Sufferings of the Saviour Make a Powerful Appeal.

At the Market Street Congregational Church yesterday, Rev. Dr. E. S. Chapman preached his morning sermon from the text I Peter 1:11. The theme, "The Sufferings of Christ," was treated in a simple and elementary way.

1. The Scriptural references to them, all become an evidence of their reality and intensity. Many of these were quoted, and looked at from the standpoint of human experience. A vivid picture of the suffering Christ was presented.

2. These sufferings, it was urged, were distinctly vicarious. "He was wounded for our transgressions; He was bruised for our iniquities."

3. And the boon of which they were the purchase money was worth all it cost.

4. And so being purchased salvation is offered to us without money and without price.

5. It surely ought to be accepted as freely, ought it not? Will not you, each of you, thus accept it?

6. More than this, love so amazing, so divine, demands our life, our soul, our all. He gave His life for us. Is it too much that we should give our lives for Him? He endured the cross, despising the shame. "Must Jesus bear the cross alone?"

CONFIRMATION.

An Interesting Service at the Church of the Advent.

The largest confirmation class ever presented in the Church of the Advent, East Oakland, was confirmed by Bishop Nichols last evening, the rector, Rev. V. Marshall Law, having prepared a class of forty-seven. Of these one-third were lads and men.

The church was crowded and the choral service was finest, rendered by the mixed vested choir of forty-three voices. A sermon was preached by the Bishop, after which came the rite of "laying on of hands." It was an impressive scene and the rector was congratulated on many sides for the brightening skies of the parish. He has now in less than two years presented ninety persons for confirmation, and it is doubtful if any parish in California can show a corresponding awakening.

When asked last evening how much of this parish enthusiasm he attributed to the missions held in the parish he said, "Last spring we had sixteen names for confirmation when Archdeacon Webber came. Our united efforts during the week increased this to twenty-four. This year I had thirty-two names actually in hand for confirmation when our mission began. Our combined labors gave us a class of forty-seven. I am a believer in the brightening-up effects of a mission. It is not alone in numbers for confirmation that these missions are valuable. They stir up and stimulate those already confirmed, and a missioner can say things which need to be said, but which a rector cannot properly present to the people."

MRS. M'KENZIE REPLIES.

Her Answer to the Charges Brought by J. M. Douglas.

Mrs. Joseph H. McKenzie, by her attorney, Phil M. Walsh, filed her answer today to the $5,000 damage suit brought against her by John M. Douglas, formerly employed as a delivery clerk by H. L. Conklin, a Washington street grocer.

Mrs. McKenzie says that Douglas occasionally supplied her with articles of food that were not fit for household use and also overcharged her for the same. She finally called at the grocer's store and discovered she had been overcharged for some wheat. Upon making this discovery she informed Mr. Conklin that she thought his clerk was dishonest. The defendant disclaims any malice in making this assertion.

BLOCKADED BY SNOW.

Trains Tied Up on the Line of the Central Pacific.

The heavy snow storms that have occurred in colder latitudes have greatly delayed Eastern traffic and tourists who are on their way to California's sunny climes are imprisoned in snow fastnesses. The overland trains have encountered heavy snow blockades near Reno and all through the mountains and are consequently delayed in arriving. The morning overland is seven hours late and will probably not reach this city until 4 P. M. The evening overland is already two hours behind time with a prospect of a still greater delay.

Lost His Home.

J. C. Wilson's beautiful residence at 2123 Jackson street, San Francisco, was yesterday destroyed by fire. Mr. Wilson formerly lived in Oakland and only moved to San Francisco about a month ago.

JUST TWO DAYS MORE.

Then the Big Pugilistic Gladiators Will Do Battle.

Sharkey Will Rush Fitzsimmons if It Becomes Necessary.

But two days intervene before the greatest pugilistic contest ever held on the Pacific Coast will take place. Owing to the near approach, interest is heightened and now there is little else talked of in the sporting world.

Sharkey has enjoyed a slight advance in the betting on the recent odds, owing to the fact that his supporters are more numerous than at first supposed. It is conceded that every minute the fight lasts Sharkey has a better chance of winning for his youth will tell against Fitzsimmons, age, though both are in the finest trim that a human machine can possibly be put in.

Fitzsimmons is very quick to take advantage of an opening and it is safe to say that he will not waste his time in delivering light, ineffectual blows as Corbett did when he faced the sailor lad.

TOM SHARKEY.

However, Sharkey will have something to say about the matter, himself, for he intends to do the same thing to Fitzsimmons, which the Cornishman is talking so much of.

Fitzsimmons' strongest point is sidestepping with the ultimate right upper cut. It is a decidedly dangerous blow and should he manage to land on the sailor's point with one of them, something is going to happen. It is said he will concentrate all his efforts on knock-out blows and will wait an opportunity rather than rush the fight.

BOB FITZSIMMONS.

On the other hand Sharkey has said that after the third round if Fitz does not lead out, he will go for him and then the hurricane can be expected.

The National Club has perfected arrangements for seating the big crowd and confusion in securing seats is reduced to a minimum.

Broke His Wrist.

Elinore Warner, a lad living at 1067 Oak street, broke his wrist yesterday by falling from a horizontal bar. Dr. Woolsey was near by at the time and set the broken bone.

POINTERS ON PAVING.

An Expert Who Has Watched All the Various Systems.

Asphalt Has Met the Test Better Than Other Materials.

The question of paving East Twelfth street in such a manner as to get the best results is being widely discussed in view of the fact that action on the matter will soon be taken by the City Council. In connection with the matter, the views of Stevenson Towle, a New York City authority on such matters, is vitally interestin. In an article in the Engineering Magazine of October, Mr. Towle discusses the matter very thoroughly.

"The health, wealth and comfort of a city depend in a large degree upon the character of the pavements," says Mr. Towle. "Merchants and business men have come to realize that their ability to do business and compete with other cities depends on the ease and cheapness with which goods can be carted and handled in transit through a city. Good pavements mean increased profits; heavier and larger loads can be handled with advantage."

Mr. Towle compares the paving of European cities to American cities, and states that the merchants of New York City were for years handicapped by the poor paving of the great seaport.

"The experience of New York in its efforts to have better pavements is similar to that of other cities at home and abroad. Originally the pavements were mostly of cobblestones, afterwards of Belgian blocks and sometimes of granite blocks on a sand foundation. The old cobblestones and Belgian blocks were utterly inadequate for commercial traffic and were soon completely destroyed. Various kinds of pavement were tried. The first was the Russ patent pavement, laid on Broadway in 1849. The pavement was not satisfactory, owing to its slipperiness, the blocks being wide and the joints close, thus affording no foothold for horses. Cobblestones and Belgian block pavements are not first class.

"Brick pavements are not an experiment, having been laid for the past 20 years in Holland, where many of them are in a satisfactory condition to this day. They are now being extensively laid in many of the cities in our Western States, where they prove themselves suitable for moderate traffic.

"The great success of the asphalt pavements now being laid in this country proves that they are well suited for residential streets and likewise for streets having the heaviest traffic. They are particularly adapted for business streets on account of the facility with which the pavements can be restored. The objections of the carters have entirely disappeared, for they find that much heavier loads can be carted with greater safety. The advantage on the score of cost is now very much in favor of asphalt; this is due to the great improvements in the pavement. An asphalt pavement can be laid so as to require little or no repairs for five or six years, or even fifteen years. This is due to competition and improvements in the machinery for mixing and laying the pavement, and to experience obtained in compounding and laying it, and also to the knowledge that the cost of maintenance is much less than previously estimated.

"The comparative durability of the asphalt pavement is clearly shown on many business streets. The pavement, to be successful, must be composed of the best substances, mixed and laid in the best manner with improved machinery and scientific methods. The failure of many of the asphalt pavements is due to not using proper asphalt. It is the experience of New York that the best asphalt pavements are laid with the Trinidad Pitch Lake asphalt, Alcatraz from California and Bermudez from Venezuela, the Sicilian mines at Raguna and Ver Wohle and Swiss mines of Val de Travers.

"Macadam pavements are not recommended for cities, and should not be laid except for pleasure drives; when laid, they should be of the very best material and workmanship.

"Some 20,000 square yards of asphalt block pavement have been laid in New York within the past five years, and have proved well adapted for light traffic. It is very much smoother and less noisy than any of the stone or brick pavements. So close are the joints that, under the influence of heat and traffic the blocks become cemented together, forming almost a waterproof pavement. There has been a great improvement in the manufacture of these blocks, tending to make them more durable. They are now made with broken trap rock instead of the soft lime rock previously used.

"The failure of wood pavement in this country did not prevent its extensive use in London and Paris, where its success was due to excellence of construction and maintenance, involving a cost at least double that of the best asphalt or stone pavement.

"In no instance is the benefit of a noiseless pavement more noticeable than about schools and hospitals and on streets occupied exclusively by the poor. Physicians and health authorities bear witness to the benefits that have been derived from asphalt pavements as not only noiseless, but preventing all liquid wastes from saturating the ground beneath them. It is this characteristic of the asphalt pavement that has improved the health of several large districts in this city occupied exclusively by tenement houses of the poorest kind. These streets were originally paved with the Belgian or cobble pavement and had worn in ruts in which the refuse water lodged. Since these neighborhoods have been paved with asphalt, physicians and the Health Board have observed a marked absence of malarial diseases and a lessening of the death rate. Good pavements not only promote the health of the community, but facilitate the renting of houses, and in no instance is this rental increase more noticeable than when a macadam pavement has been replaced by asphalt."

SPOKE ON SUFFRAGE.

Madame Florence Montague's Lecture at Fraternal Hall.

Mme. Florence Montague at Fraternal Hall last night told in her eloquent way how and by whom woman was defeated at the last election in her efforts to secure political equality.

She charged the defeat mainly to the onslaught made on the Sixth Amendment by the Romish Church and the saloon interests. The former, she said appealed to the superstition that had been handed down through the ages, that woman was the inferior of man and was not entitled to any consideration in the affairs of either church or State.

She said that the great Nazarene tried to impress upon the people of his day the truth that woman was man's equal; that there was no double standard, either in morals or mind, and yet so strong was the prejudice against women that the Apostle Paul forgetful of the sublime teachings of his great Master retired woman to the inferior and subserviant position again from which after an enslavement of eighteen centuries, she is now emerging as the great truth of the universal brotherhood of man is forcing itself upon the understanding of mankind.

The saloon, however, was the most active and potent agent in defeating woman's advancement. She said it appealed entirely to the lower and bestial appetites, and to its own selfish interests and though well aware that it was the direct cause of more criminality, more mental and physical demoralization than all other causes combined. Yet it was determined to continue its nefarious work and at the last moment opened its masked batteries and won the day.

It posted circulars in all its various channels of trade, demanding that its friends and patrons defeat the Sixth Amendment. Its batteries silenced the great dailies of the sister city, she claimed, and one of them in open defiance of its party platform which favored woman suffrage, issued a sample ballot on the morning of election on which it placed a negative opposite the Sixth Amendment. The saloon well knows that on the day when woman handles the ballot as the equal of man its fate is doomed.

The speaker then paid her respects to her own sex, which she handled without gloves. She referred to the oft quoted saying that "woman is woman's worst enemy," and bewailed the fact that there was too much truth in it. She said that her sisters who were well provided for in pleasant homes had but little sympathy for those who were less fortunately situated and who desired the ballot, in order that the position which that ballot would give her in society in business and in the nation, she would be better able to fight the battles of life and protect her home and her children from the influences that would continue to surround them so long as men only had the making of the laws which governed them.

She said that the last campaign had been an educational one, and she prophesied that the day was not far distant when not only in the Golden State, but even in every State in our fair land, woman would be recognized by her brother man as his political and social equal.

During her lecture she was continually greeted with rounds of applause.

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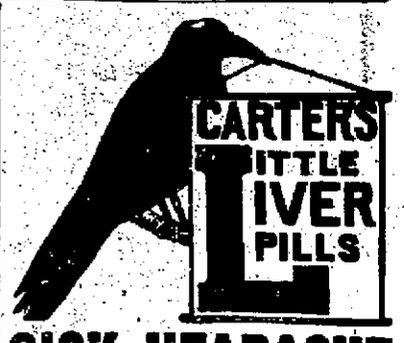

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PSYCHIC RESEARCHES.

Amos J. Johnson Lectures Well on "Raja Yoga."

Theosophic Theories Explained in an Able Manner.

Last night Amos J. Johnson lectured before the Oakland Theosophical Society on "Raja Yoga."

"Danger may result," the speaker said, "from ignorant experiments in Yoga in the attempt to force into activity the latent qualities which are inherent in every individual. Raja Yoga accomplishes its purpose by steadying the mind through meditation and concentration. It calls into action the several forces of the mind, and cognizes the mind rather than the inter planes of being. By this means the highest qualities of the mind are brought into play, and all that is concealed or dormant in the man is brought into activity. Before this development may occur, however, all faults must be crushed out.

"Spirit is selfless and sexless, and all that pertains to the lower man must be subdued before the higher faculties can manifest. Our consciousness is now focussed in the physical man, and before the inner nature can be manifested these lower faculties must become one in purpose with the spiritual qualities. It is the task of the student of Raga Yoga to perform this transmutation by continually directing and steadying the mind.

"A certain psychic development occurs in the study and practice of Raja Yoga, but psychic results should not be sought for. They are merely incidental in the process of spiritual growth.

"A little knowledge is a dangerous thing,' even on the psychical plane, and much more so in the higher realms. If one would understand these forces and know how to apply them, he must develop equally in all directions—not apply himself solely to intellectual study or spiritual meditation, but apply himself to both that he may be properly balanced. And as for psychic development, that effort should be deferred until one fully understands what he is trying to do, and until he shall find some one competent to instruct him, even though that period be a dozen years or a dozen incarnations hence.

"'While the whole scope of Raja Yoga is very complicated, the ethical steps in the beginning are so simple any one may comprehend them. These consist in being loving and helpful and unselfish, and in maintaining a perfect self control under all circumstances."

HAS A BAD RECORD.

Bicycle Thief Malngren Is Well Known to the Police.

Malngren, the bicycle thief, now in the Alameda City Prison has a far reaching record. This morning Chief Lloyd received a letter from Chief Kingsbury of Stockton stating that the prisoner is wanted there for selling a wheel which did not belong to him, but to ex-District Attorney Avery White.

Malngren has many aliases, among them P. Green, Sandy Malen and Sam Malan. His true name is Malcomb, and at one time he was a race rider and has been connected with various tracks throughout the country.

An Installation.

Alameda Branch No. 3, Catholics Ladies' Aid Society, has installed the following officers for the ensuing year: Past president, Mrs. D. J. Quill; president, Miss Gallagher; senior vice-president, Mrs. J. McStay; junior vice-president, Mrs. St. Sure; marshal, Miss Wier; recording secretary, Miss Kate Jollymour; financial secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Quigley; guide, Mrs. Humphrey.

A Lively Collision.

A wheel ridden by Felix Harbough of Alameda and a buggy driven by Dr. E. H. Blood and Harvey Wilson collided yesterday at Thirteenth and Broadway with disastrous results to the former. He was taken badly bruised to a drug store and Dr. J. P. Dunn was called. Later the man and the remains of the wheel were taken to his home at 2038 Alameda avenue, Alameda.

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